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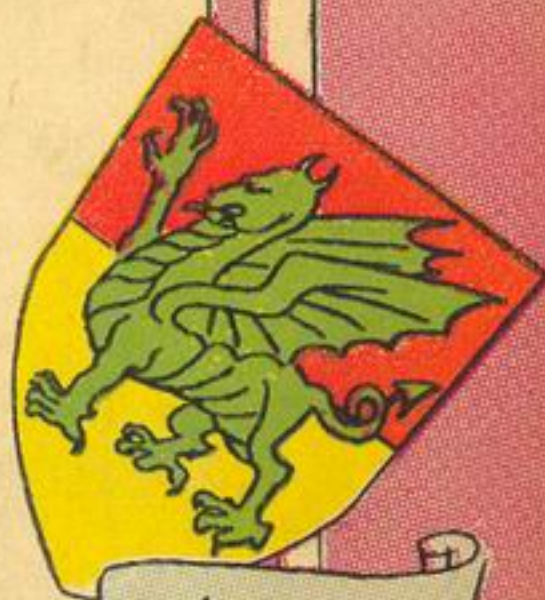
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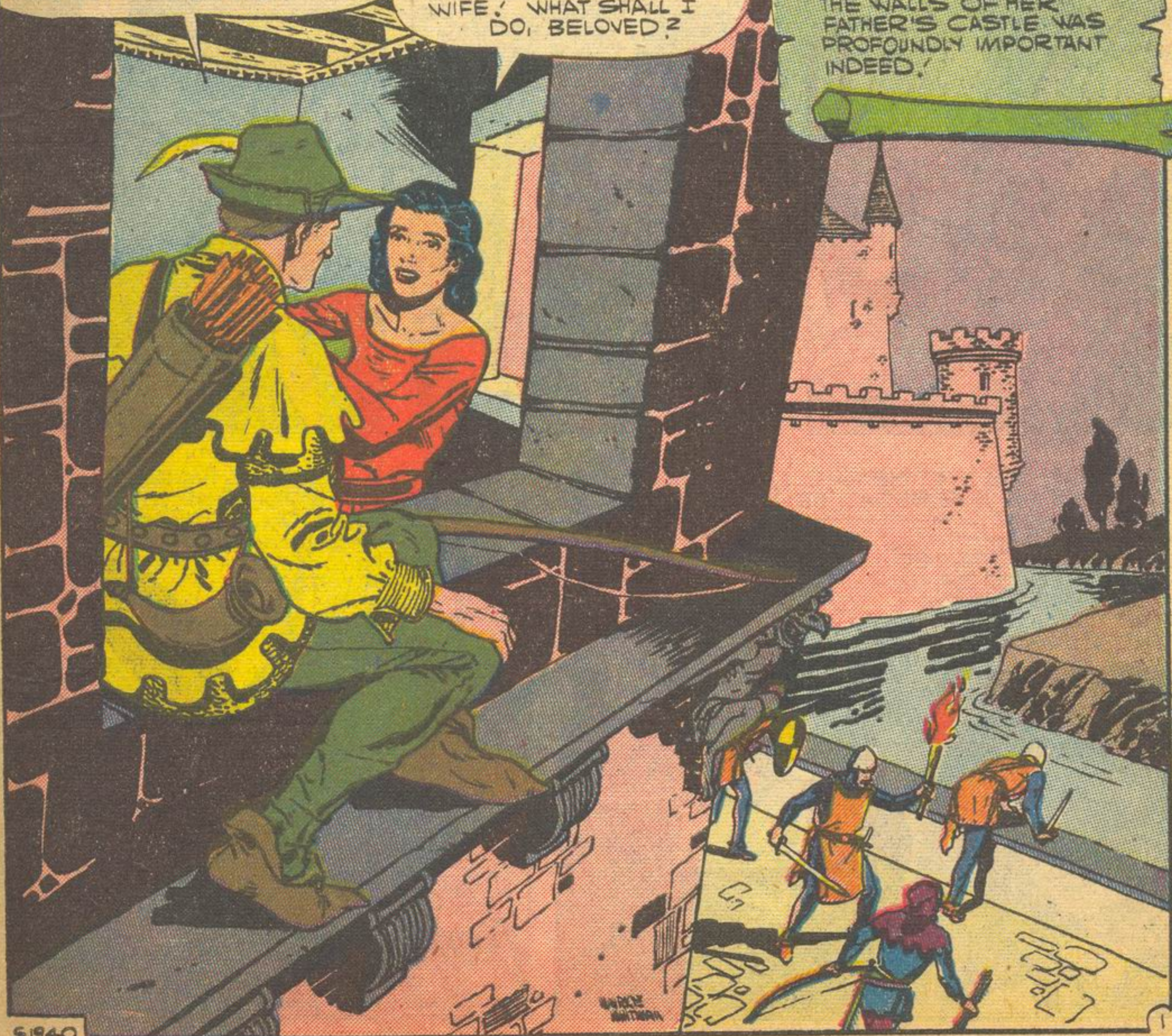
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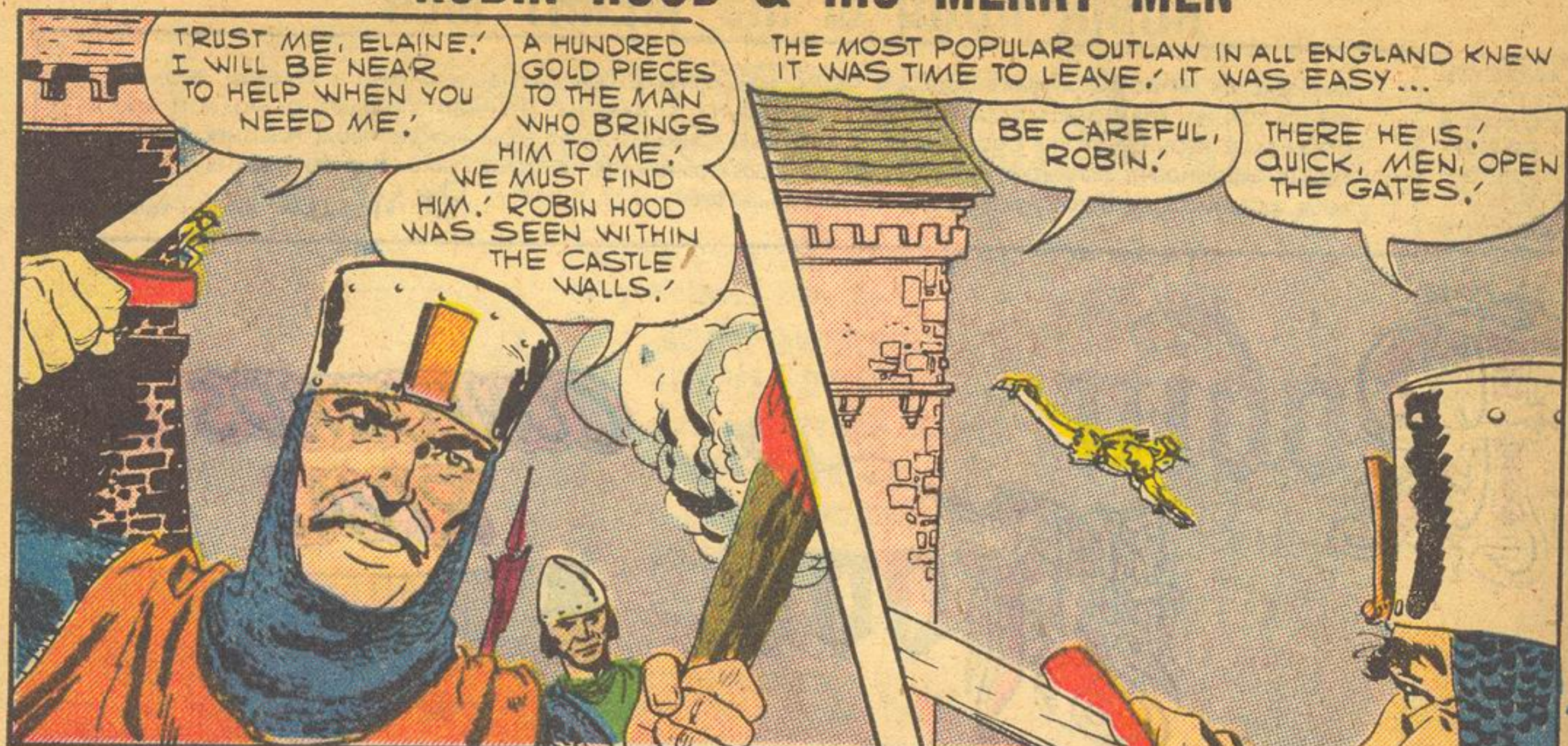
THE BRAVE DOLTS BELOW ARE LOOKING FOR ME IN THE WRONG PLACES! WHY DID YOU SEND FOR ME, FAIR ELAINE?

FATHER IS SENDING ME TO THE BARON DE LUCE'S CASTLE TOMORROW! THE NOBLE BARON SEEKS A WIFE! WHAT SHALL I DO, BELOVED?

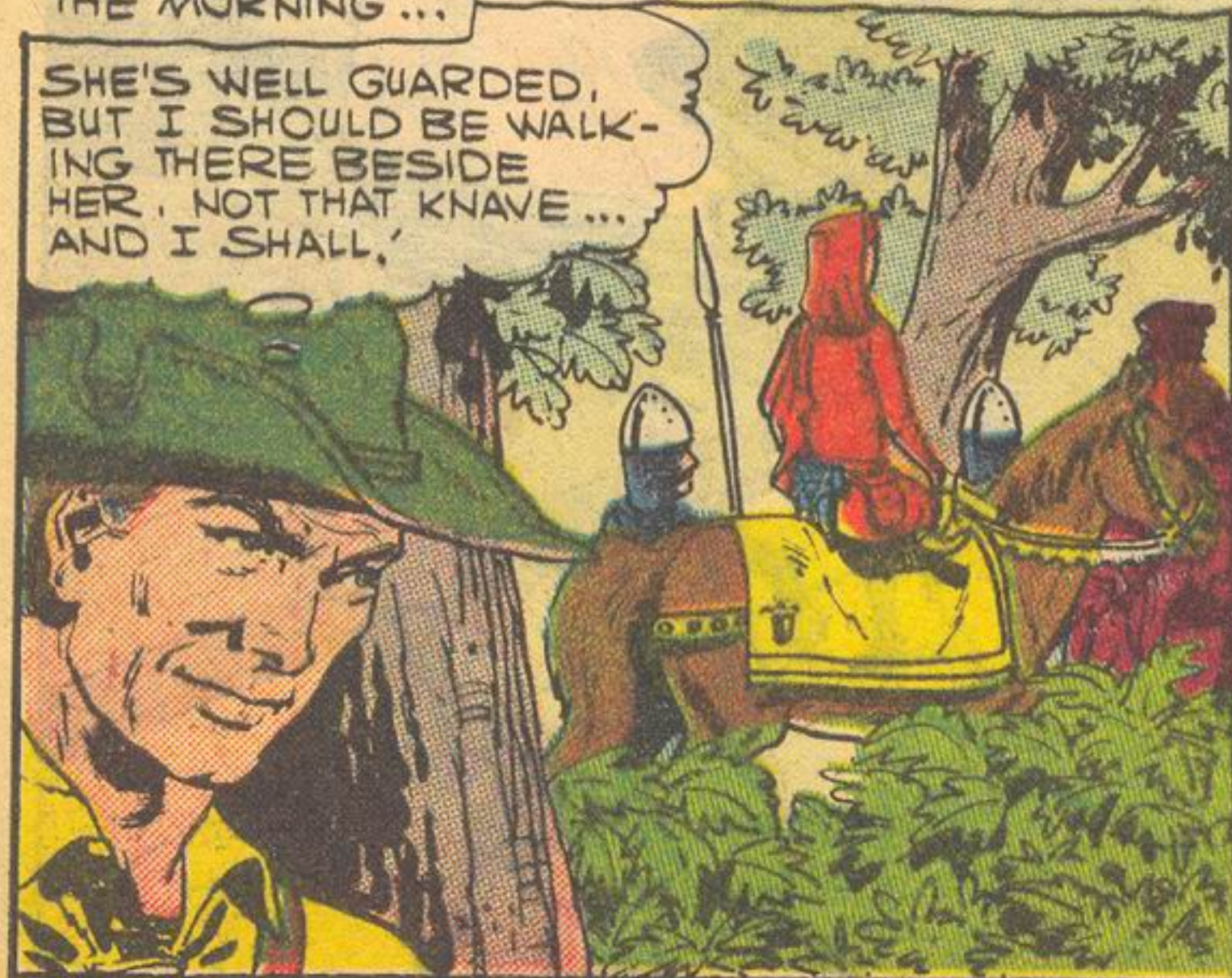
HERWOOD FOREST WAS PARADISE ON EARTH TO ROBIN HOOD AND HIS MERRY MEN! ONLY A MATTER OF PROFOUND IMPORTANCE COULD WRE HIM FROM ITS SANCTUARY! AND A SIGNAL OF DISTRESS FROM FAIR ELAINE WITHIN THE WALLS OF HER FATHER'S CASTLE WAS PROFOUNDLY IMPORTANT INDEED!



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AND SO IT WAS THAT THE FAIR ELAINE HAD AMPLE COMPANY AS SHE BEGAN HER JOURNEY IN THE MORNING...



SO, AN HOUR LATER, AS THE PARTY STOPPED TO REST, ROBIN AND LITTLE JOHN WENT INTO ACTION...



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LET ME AID YOU, MILADY!

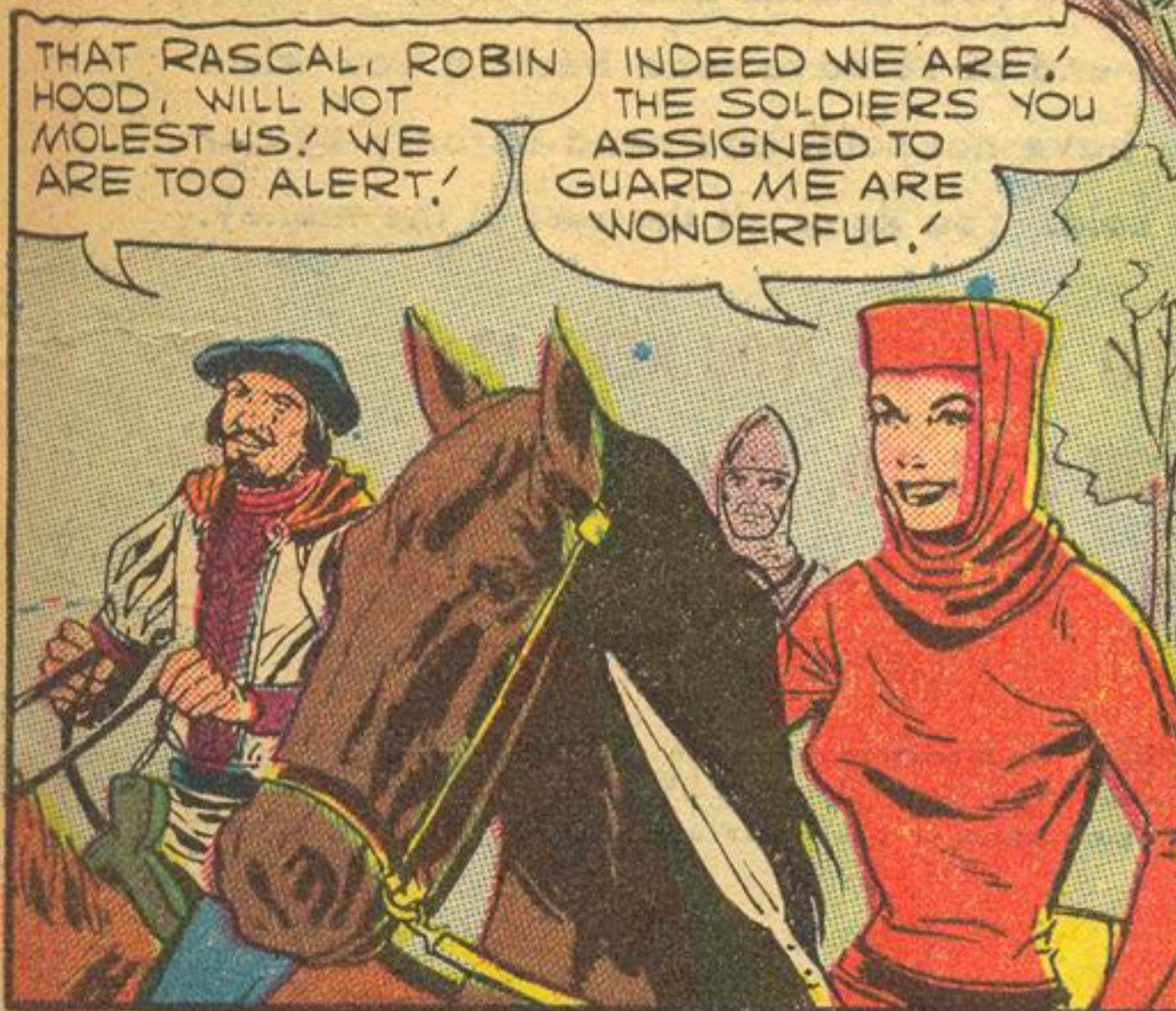
THANK YOU, I CAN MANAGE...



WE MUST HURRY OR WE WILL NOT REACH THE BARON'S CASTLE BEFORE DARK!

I'M NOT AFRAID OF THE DARK... NOW!

THE HIGH SHERIFF OF NOTTINGHAM RE-ASSURED ELAINE AS THEY RODE...



THAT RASCAL, ROBIN HOOD, WILL NOT MOLEST US! WE ARE TOO ALERT!

INDEED WE ARE! THE SOLDIERS YOU ASSIGNED TO GUARD ME ARE WONDERFUL!



I AM TOO CLEVER FOR ROBIN AND HIS KNAVES!

I'D LIKE TO CLOUT HIM TWICE -- ONCE FOR ROBIN -- A LITTLE HARDER ONE FOR ME, LITTLE JOHN!

THE BARON DE LUCE'S CASTLE WAS REACHED THAT EVENING! ROBIN HAD TO LEAVE HIS FAIR ELAINE THERE...



I WILL BE NEAR, MILADY! I MUST GO NOW!

BEGONE, MAN! YOU HAVE OTHER LESS PLEASANT DUTIES NOW!



HO! ROBIN! HOW IS YOUR BELOVED?

EASY, MAN! WE MUST PLAN A WAY OUT OF HERE FOR ALL OF US!

HERE, YOU TWO, GO ON DUTY AT... WHO ARE YOU? YOU'RE NOT MY MEN!

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HEAR THAT, DE LUCE? ALL YOUR HOLDINGS CAN NEVER BUY WORDS SO SWEET!



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SO ROBIN HOOD AND LITTLE JOHN WENT TO THE DUNGEONS... BUT THEY WENT SMILING... REMEMBERING THE BARON'S EMBARRASSMENT

I'D GIVE A WEEK'S RATIONS TO SEE THE BARON WITH SOUP IN HIS WIG!

AYE, HE WORE IT WELL! WELL, STAY AWAKE WHILE I SLEEP, GUARD! I'LL BE FREE IN SHERWOOD FOREST TOMORROW!



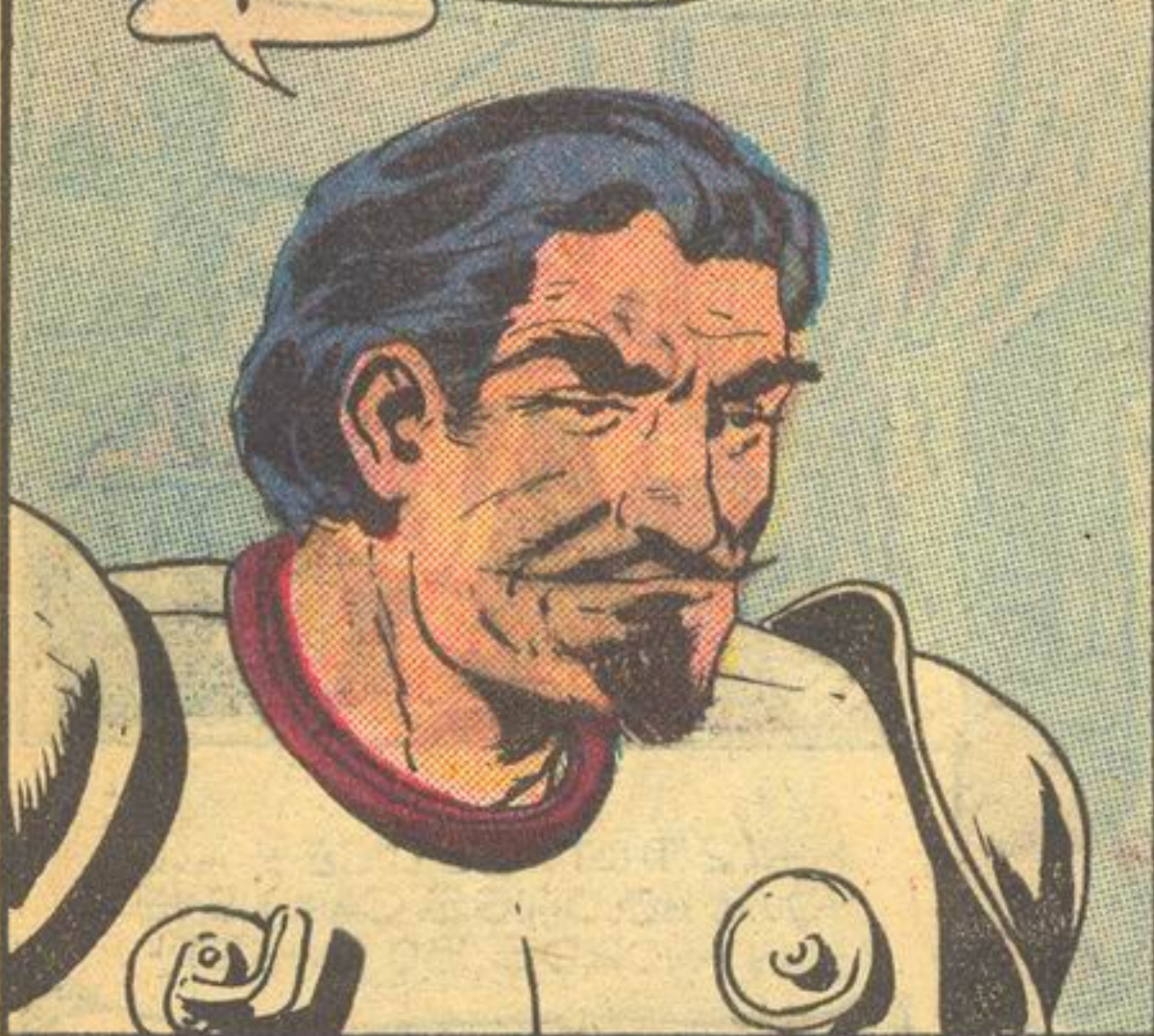
THE BARON PLANNED A TOURNAMENT TO AMUSE ELAINE THE NEXT DAY! HE VOLUNTEERED TO FIGHT AS HER CHAMPION...

BEFORE WE BEGIN THE TOURNAMENT, MILADY, WILL YOU NOT NAME ME YOUR CHAMPION?

ROBIN WILL BEAR MY COLORS! RELEASE HIM, BARON, LET HIM JOUST TOO!



NEVER! HE'LL ROT IN MY DUNGEONS BEFORE HE SEES THE LIGHT OF DAY!



AT THAT MOMENT...

I'LL KEEP FIRM HOLD OF YOU, LAD! WHEN I LET YOU DOWN, OPEN THE LOCK OR I'LL SNAP YOUR NECK! AGREED?

LET GO! I'LL... I'LL DO IT!



I FREED YOU BOTH! TAKE ME WITH YOU!

YOU HELPED US BECAUSE YOU HAD TO! STAY AND SERVE THE BARON, KNAVE!



ESCAPE WAS EASY THEN -- BUT ROBIN HAD THINGS TO DO...

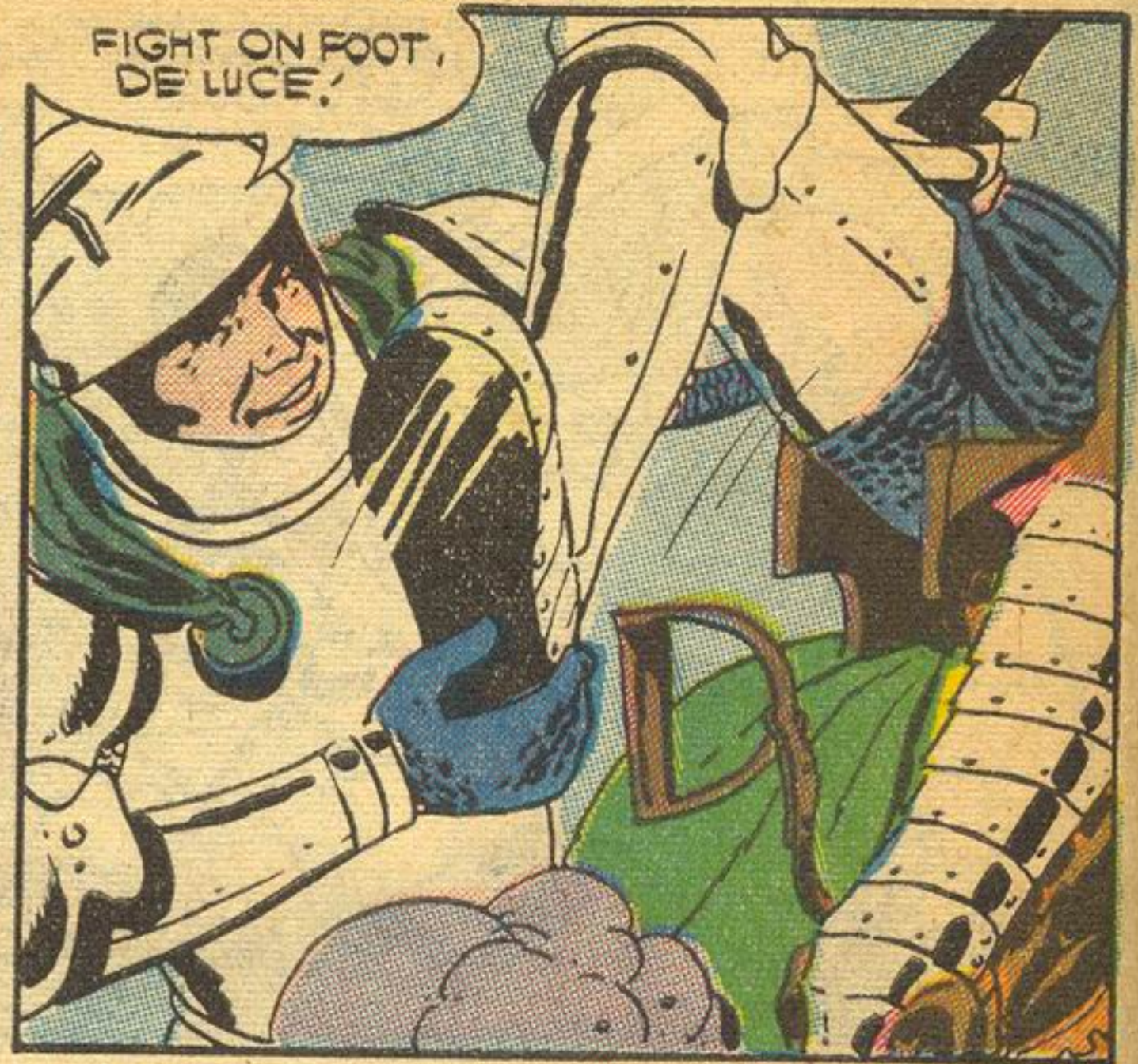
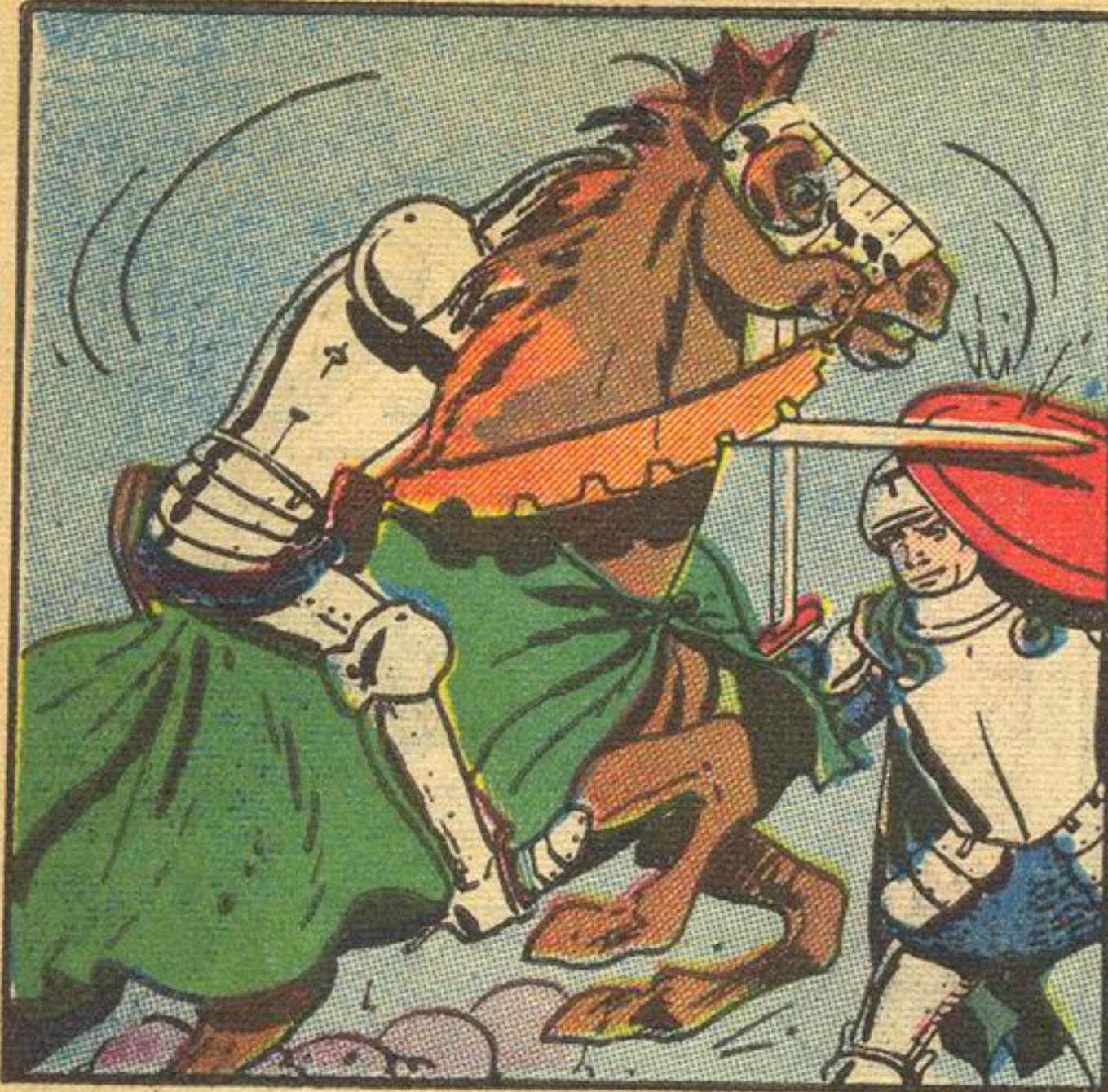
I GLIMPSED THE BARON DRESSED FOR JOUSTING! I THINK I'LL TRY HIS METTLE BEFORE WE LEAVE!



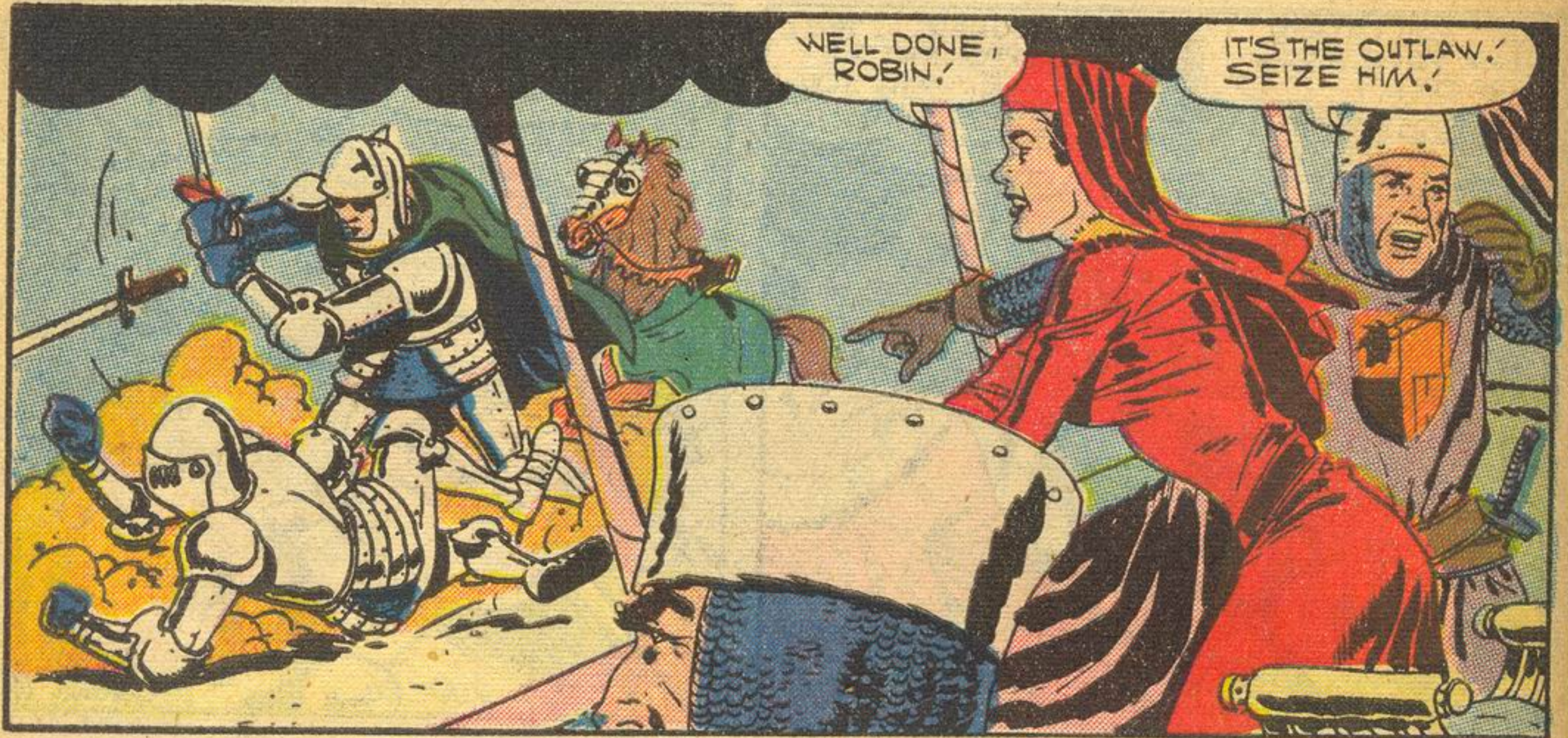
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FIGHT ON FOOT,
DE LUCE!



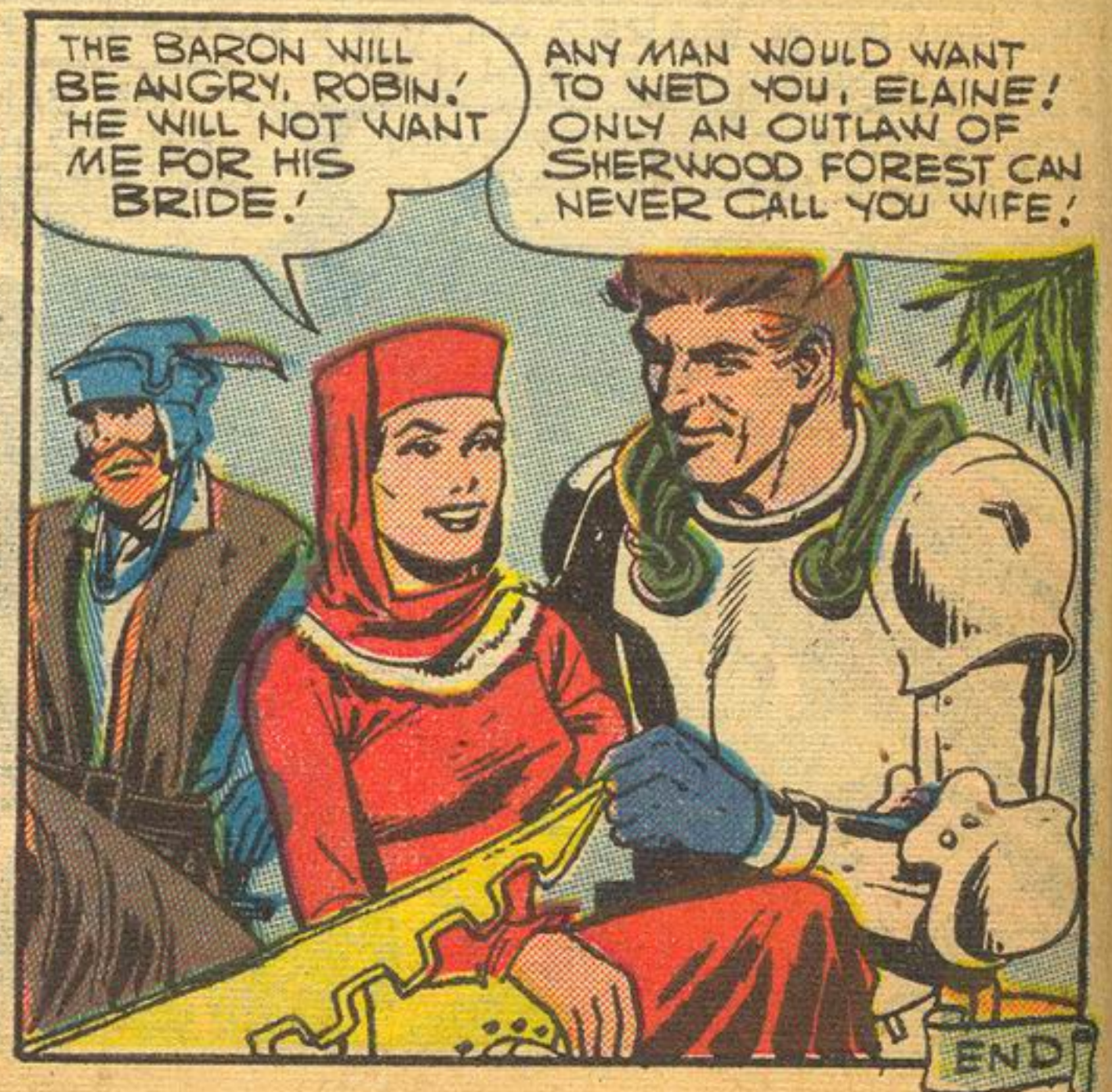
WELL DONE,
ROBIN!

IT'S THE OUTLAW!
SEIZE HIM!



YOUR MASTER SWORE TO
FREE LITTLE JOHN AND MY-
SELF IF I BESTED HIM!
COME, ELAINE, I'LL TAKE
YOU TO YOUR FATHER!

RIDE
SLOWLY,
ROBIN!



THE BARON WILL
BE ANGRY, ROBIN!
HE WILL NOT WANT
ME FOR HIS
BRIDE!

ANY MAN WOULD WANT
TO WED YOU, ELAINE!
ONLY AN OUTLAW OF
SHERWOOD FOREST CAN
NEVER CALL YOU WIFE!

END!

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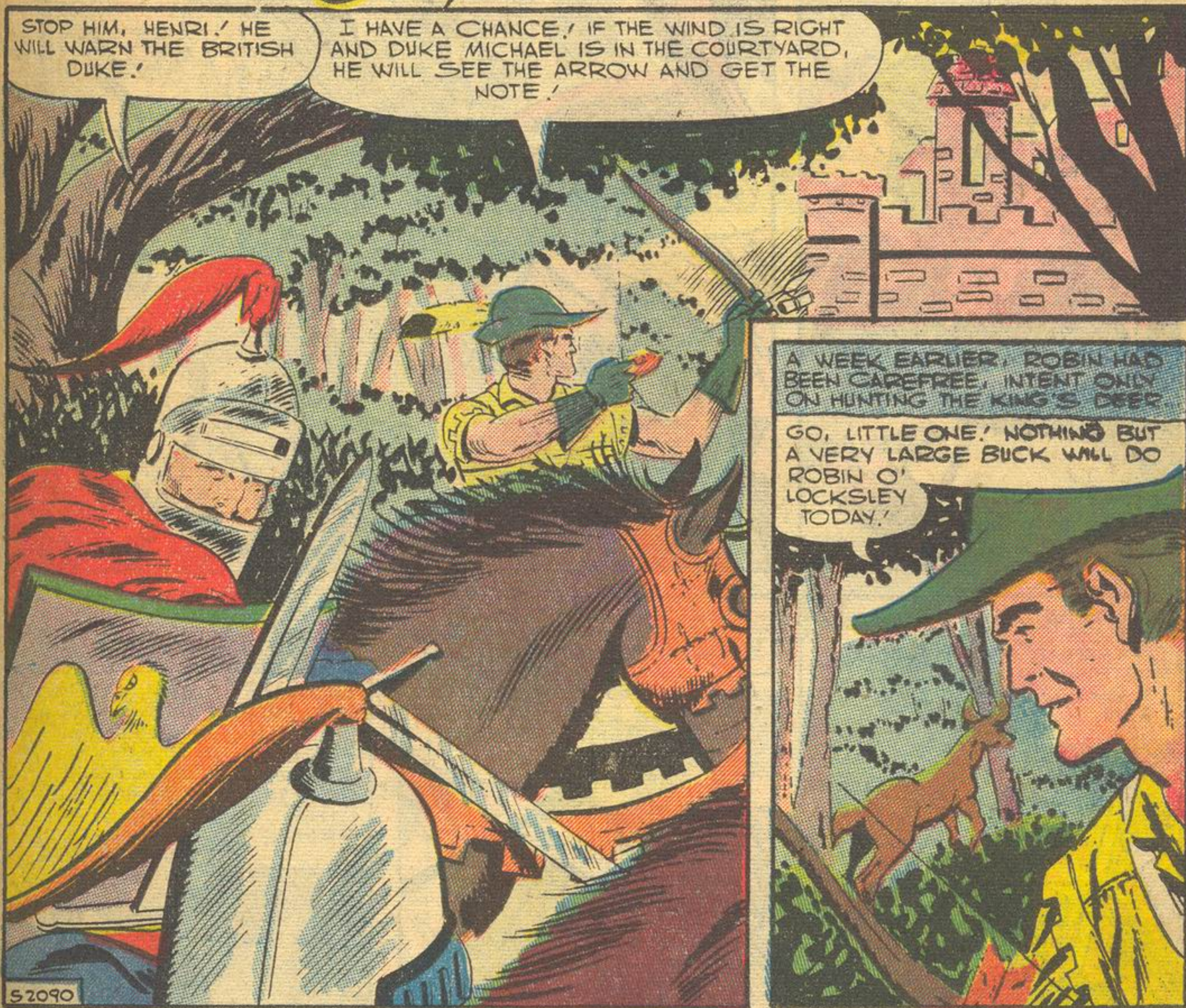
Robin Hood

in THE WARNING ARROW

THE FATE OF ENGLAND RESTED ONCE ON THE FLIGHT OF A SINGLE ARROW. WITH A TREACHEROUS FOREIGN PRINCE ABOUT TO STRIKE, ONLY ROBIN O' LOCKSLEY COULD WARN THE DUKE OF PRINCE LOUIS' PLANS. AND ROBIN HAD ONE ARROW AND LITTLE CHANCE OF SENDING IT TO ITS MARK.

STOP HIM, HENRI! HE WILL WARN THE BRITISH DUKE!

I HAVE A CHANCE! IF THE WIND IS RIGHT AND DUKE MICHAEL IS IN THE COURTYARD, HE WILL SEE THE ARROW AND GET THE NOTE!



A WEEK EARLIER, ROBIN HAD BEEN CAREFREE, INTENT ONLY ON HUNTING THE KING'S DEER

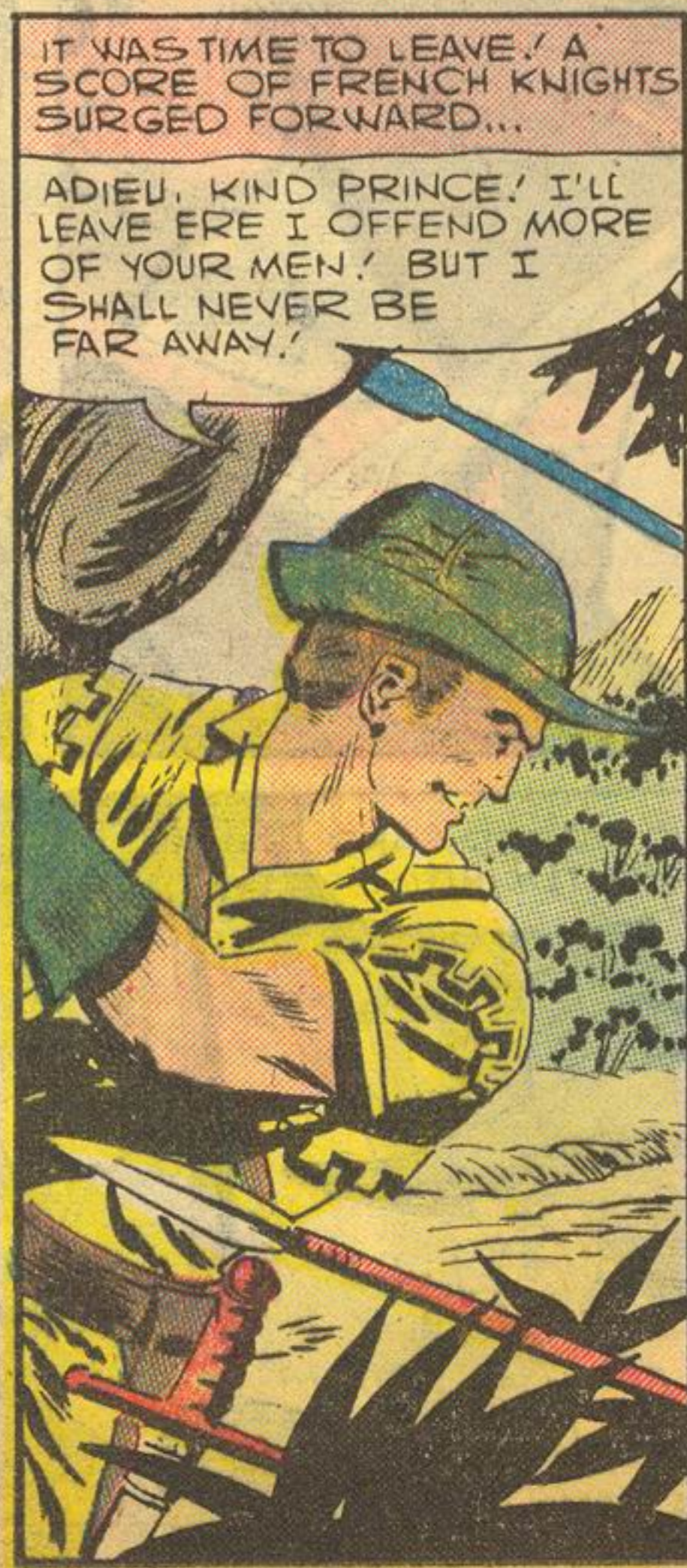
GO, LITTLE ONE! NOTHING BUT A VERY LARGE BUCK WILL DO ROBIN O' LOCKSLEY TODAY!



'PON MY SOUL, THIS IS BIG GAME INDEED! AND IF I READ HIS COAT OF ARMS RIGHTLY, HE IS A ROYAL PRINCE OF FRANCE!



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ROBIN SOON KNEW LOUIS' PLANS... FOR THE FRENCHMAN, CAMPED BELOW THEIR TREE, HAD A STRONG VOICE...

OUR MAN WILL BLOW UP THEIR POWDER -- THEN WE'LL TAKE THE CASTLE AT SWORD POINT!

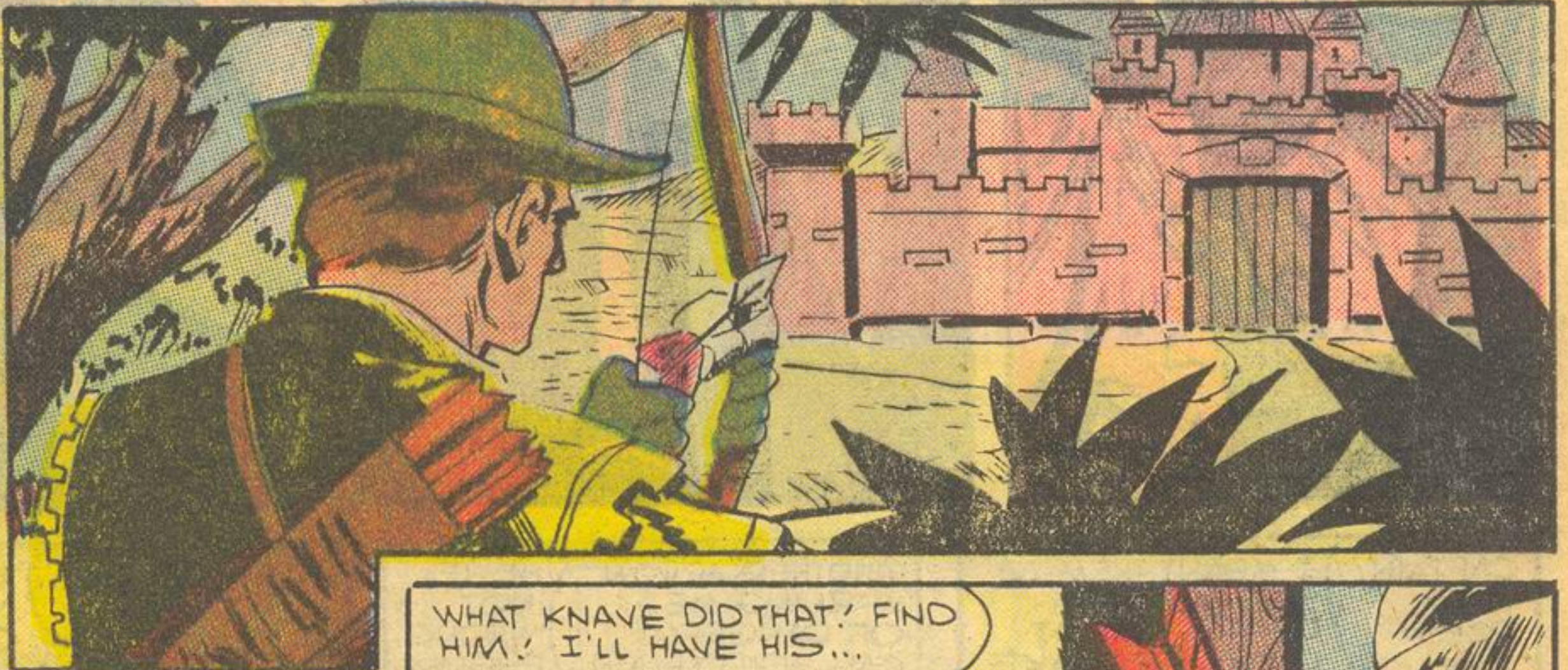


WE'LL STRIKE TOMORROW AFTER WE'RE IN THE CASTLE GATES!

AND HE'LL FIND THE DUKE QUITE READY! LET'S GO, LITTLE JOHN!



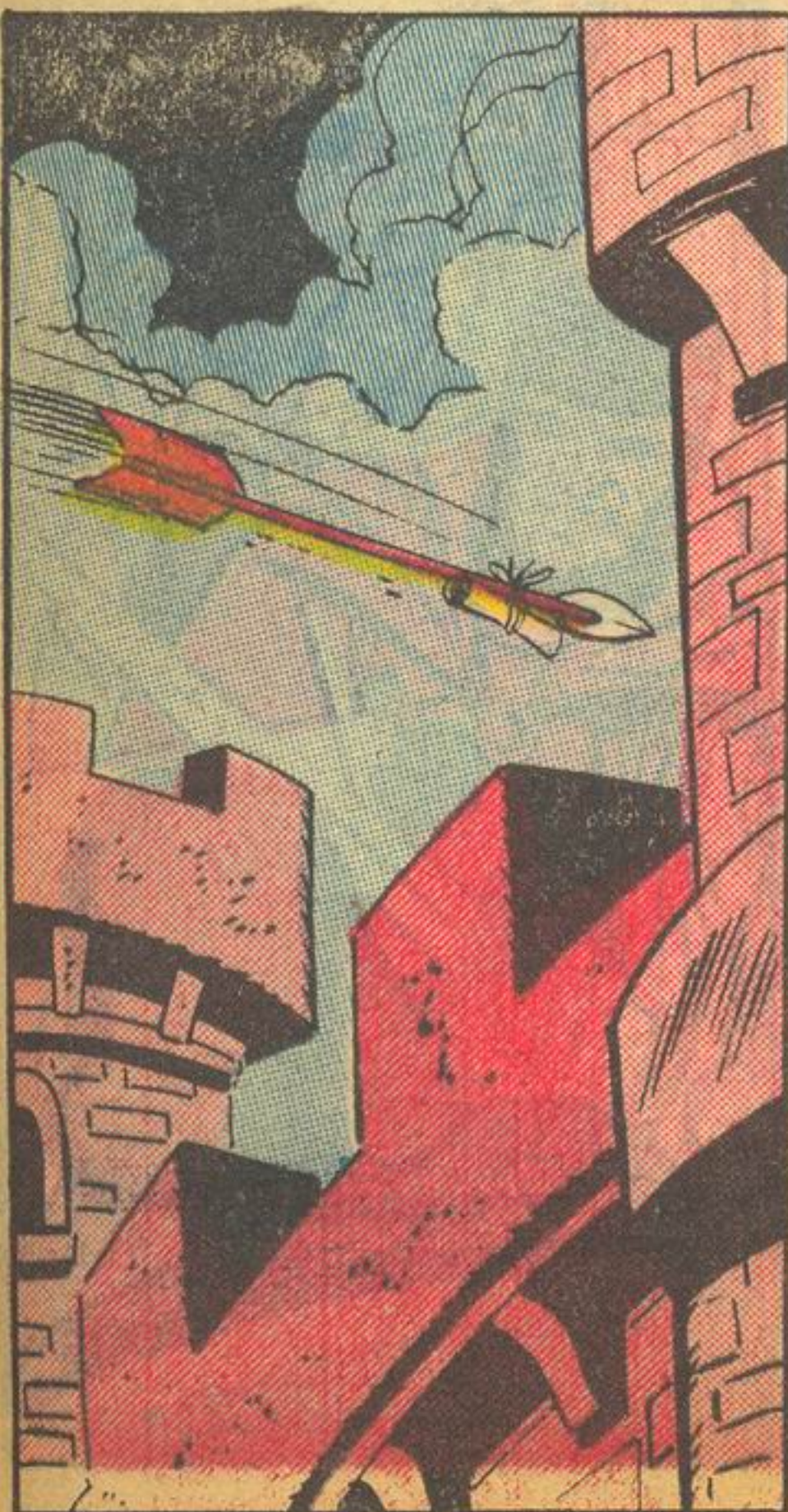
AS AN OUTLAW, ROBIN COULD NOT SEEK THE DUKE AND REPEAT THE PLANS OF THE PRINCE! BUT HIS ARROW COULD DO IT FOR HIM...



WHAT KNAVE DID THAT! FIND HIM! I'LL HAVE HIS...



WAIT! ROBIN HOOD SENT A MESSAGE! "THE FOREIGN PRINCE COMING TO GREET YOU MEANS EVIL! BEWARE, THOU DOLT! YOUR ENEMY OF OLD, LOCKSLEY!"



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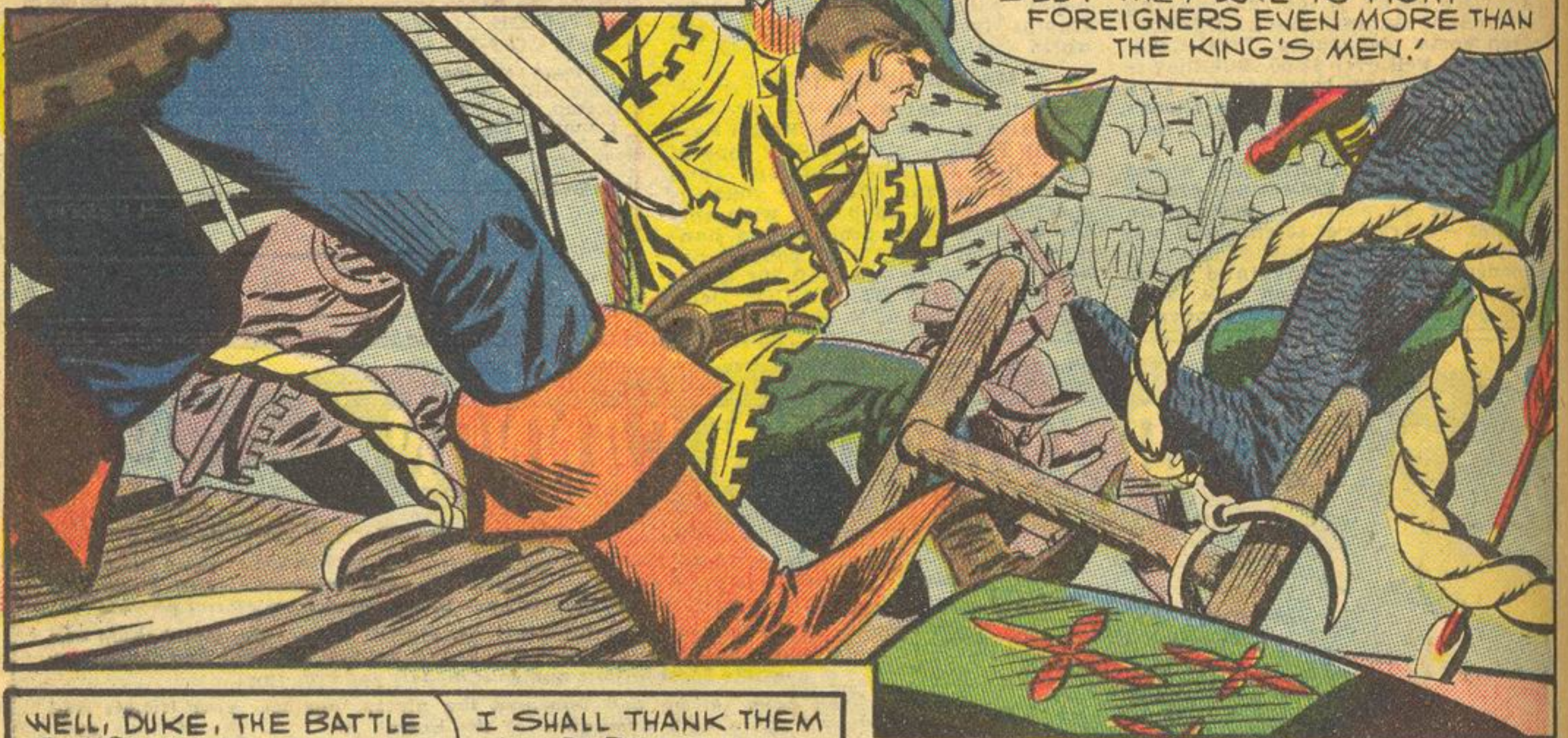
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MOUNTAIN MEN

The Count of Richmond had spent a restless night in his great room. For hours he had paced the cold stone floor. He would stop at times and gaze at the stars that shone in the sky. For in his room the window had been built especially large. Then he would sit on a long high wooden chair and rest for a few minutes.

For almost forty years, Sir John Justin had served the hereditary Counts of Richmond faithfully. It was his task to advise them in all matters concerning diplomacy, war, and the relationship to the ruler of the Kingdom. His shoulders were no longer straight and his vision had begun to dim. He, alone, of all those who served the Count of Richmond, had the right to speak in the presence of the feudal lord and say what was on his mind. After the feast the Count of Richmond had been alone with his trusty adviser.

"Did you go and visit the Earl of Blathshire as you had planned?" the Count of Richmond remarked.

"No, Sire," was the sad reply. "That had been my intention. I rode up to the border but did not turn to the South. For I have had news to relate. It is good that we are alone. May I speak and say what danger threatens your realm and also the kingdom?"

"You not only have my permission," replied the Count of Richmond, "But it is your solemn duty and task to tell me of these matters."

"Otho, Ruler of the Mountain Men plans to come down to the plains and try to conquer all these lands."

"You jest," smiled the Lord of All The Lands to the North.

"For two decades none of the Mountain Men have dared to leave the high lands they call their homes. They are only like savages. Dressed in animal skins, armed only with rude

clubs and spears, fighting among themselves. They had been defeated by the King and his assembled force of knights and lords. Now the border guards patrolled day and night and watched by the light of great fires that none came down the mountain path."

"I jest not, my Most Respected Lord," contradicted Sir John Justin. "Our King is now away with most of the army fighting the Pagans. Upon the throne of our Kingdom sits the Regent. He likes nothing better than to hunt, dance, eat, and amuse himself. His worthless nephew sits in the tower, plays a harp and composes some rhymes."

"How do you know all of this?" demanded the Count of Richmond. "Did you see any of these Mountain Men with your own eyes?"

"The Blue Knight stopped me on my journey. He insisted that I go with him. He had a guard of more than one hundred of his famous men. Who was I to protest? So we spent six days climbing the mountains. Yes, with my own eyes I saw them assembling. Soon they will march upon our lands. What will we do?"

"I know not, I know not," was the sad reply.

So the Count of Richmond had spent a restless night in his great room. There had to be a decision. He would go with his adviser to the great royal castle of the Regent, and suggest that an attack be planned.

He did not sleep even for half an hour. In the morning he sent for his adviser and spoke what had been his decision.

"We ride for the royal castle when the sun is high in the sky. Assemble a guard of fifty of my best men."

Three days and nights of hard riding brought the two men to the royal castle. They were welcomed and the Regent greeted them warmly.

"Just in time for the feast. I went hawking and was very successful. So we shall celebrate. Anything special you wish to tell me?"

"Otho, Ruler of the Mountain Men is ready to avenge his defeat. Soon he will come down to the plains," related Sir John Justin.

"So let him come," smiled the Regent. "We can assemble a good force of men. With our armor we shall defeat them easily. Savages in skins with clubs are no match for us."

"You are wrong," interrupted the voice of a man standing on the stone ledge of a high window in the great hall of the castle. He wore a blue helmet that covered his face. His famous great sword was in its scabbard and attached to a leather belt. On his back was a great bow as well as a quiver full of arrows."

"Savages in skins and armed with clubs you could easily defeat," continued the Blue Knight. "But Otho is no longer a savage in his manner of fighting. He knew why he was defeated. For years he planned his revenge. His men have learned how to mine iron ore, how to smelt it and how to use it. Now they too have armor and great swords. You can no longer defeat him with weapons alone. You need strategy."

No sooner had he finished speaking, when there was a great commotion in the hall. All the nobles rushed to the window to see if they could capture the Blue Knight. He grabbed a rope and swung to a lower level. From here he scaled the wall and jumped on a waiting horse.

"If you really wanted to capture him," spoke the firm voice of the Regent. "You would have acted with greater speed. Where is there one of you to ride after him? It is better that this be unanswered. We must assemble our forces and march to the border with the greatest of speed. If that worthless nephew of mine only had the courage to fight!"

With pride written all over his savage face, Otho watched his forces growing larger and larger every day. Supplies were being assembled. Before another moon had passed, the pack horses and mules would climb up the mountain and then slowly down.

"My Honor shall be avenged," he informed his son and heir, Barto. "For twenty long years I have planned for this. Now we know how to use the same weapons as our enemies. Their lands shall be our lands. No longer shall we live up here where it is cold and bleak. The warm inviting lands of the plains await us, and we shall destroy everything that stands in our way!"

The night was dark and starless. Men dressed in black suits that blended well with the surrounding earth were busy digging a large ditch. They spoke not a word as they worked with a will and determination. Watching them was the famous Blue Knight.

"This is my strategy," he told Sir John Justin.

"We shall see how it works — for we are greatly outnumbered and in a clash of arms I fear that the better part of the nobility of our kingdom would be destroyed."

Throughout the realm of Otho, great stag horns were being blown. It was the signal for the march to victory. Thousands of the Mountain Men, both on horse and on foot, were shouting at the top of their lungs:

"Lead us on, Oh Great Otho. Nothing can stop us now!"

From the high mountains the great assembled army moved downwards. Then up again through a long Mountain Pass. The Blue Knight watched them at a distance.

"Almost like an army of ants," he commented. "We could destroy them, but it is better we teach them a lesson that they will never forget."

As the entire army of Otho moved through the Mountain Pass, a peculiar noise was heard. It grew louder and louder as great boulders crashed down and blocked both the entrance and the exit to the Mountain Pass.

"They may have archers above to shoot at us," cautioned Barto to his father.

"We have strong armor and the arrows will glance off at once. We must start moving those boulders away."

The Blue Knight waved his famous sword into the air. It was the signal for action.

"Now," said one of his men.

The strange dark fluid that had been secretly poured into the large ditch started to pour down into the Mountain Pass. It was sticky and had a strange smell. It soon came down like a river and men and horses found themselves unable to move. The Mountain Men had never come into contact with tar. It went all over their armor and feet. Actually they were mired in a well calculated trap designed by the fertile brain of the Blue Knight. He went to within shouting distance.

"There is nothing you can do. The more you struggle the worse it will become. You can all remain where you are and starve to death. Or we can pour more of this dark fluid upon you and leave you here forever. Surrender and we shall rescue you, but you shall all be banished."

Otho could not reply for the fluid was all over his face. His son Barto pleaded.

"Save us before it is too late. We are at your mercy."

There was great rejoicing throughout the kingdom. The Regent gave a great feast to which all were invited. All except his nephew.

And up in the tower a young man was playing a harp and composing a rhyme.

"Otho and his army didn't get far. They were trapped in a sea of tar."

— THE END —

Robin Hood

ROBIN HOOD & HIS MERRY MEN

IN *THE VIKING OUTCASTS*

THERE WAS UNEASY PEACE BETWEEN THE ENGLISH AND THE FIERCE VIKINGS OF THE NORTHERN SEAS. EVERY SAXON IN ENGLAND WOULD RALLY TO AN INVASION... BUT THE QUIETLY DRIFTING BOAT THAT CARRIED THE VIKING OUTCASTS TO ENGLISH SHORES COULD HARDLY BE CALLED AN INVASION! THESE WERE MEN TOO EVIL FOR THE VIKINGS... MEN THEY BANISHED FROM THEIR BANDS FOREVER!

ERIC, THE GREAT, FOUND US UNWORTHY! OUR OWN PEOPLE CAST US OUT! BUT WE WILL MAKE A PLACE FOR OURSELVES! LET THESE SOFT SAXONS BEWARE! WHAT WE WANT, WE TAKE!

THE SAXONS ARE FIERCE FIGHTERS, JANKUS! AND WE ARE WEAK FROM LACK OF FOOD AND WATER!



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THAT IS TRUE! BUT WE'LL BE FRIENDLY AT FIRST! THEY WILL PITY US! LATER, WE WILL SMASH THEM!



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SMILE, LITTLE JOHN! EAT AND DRINK, MAN--THESE ARE GOOD TIMES!

AHE, ROBIN, TOO! GOOD! WE GROW SOFT AND FAT LIKE THE SHERIFF'S MEN!



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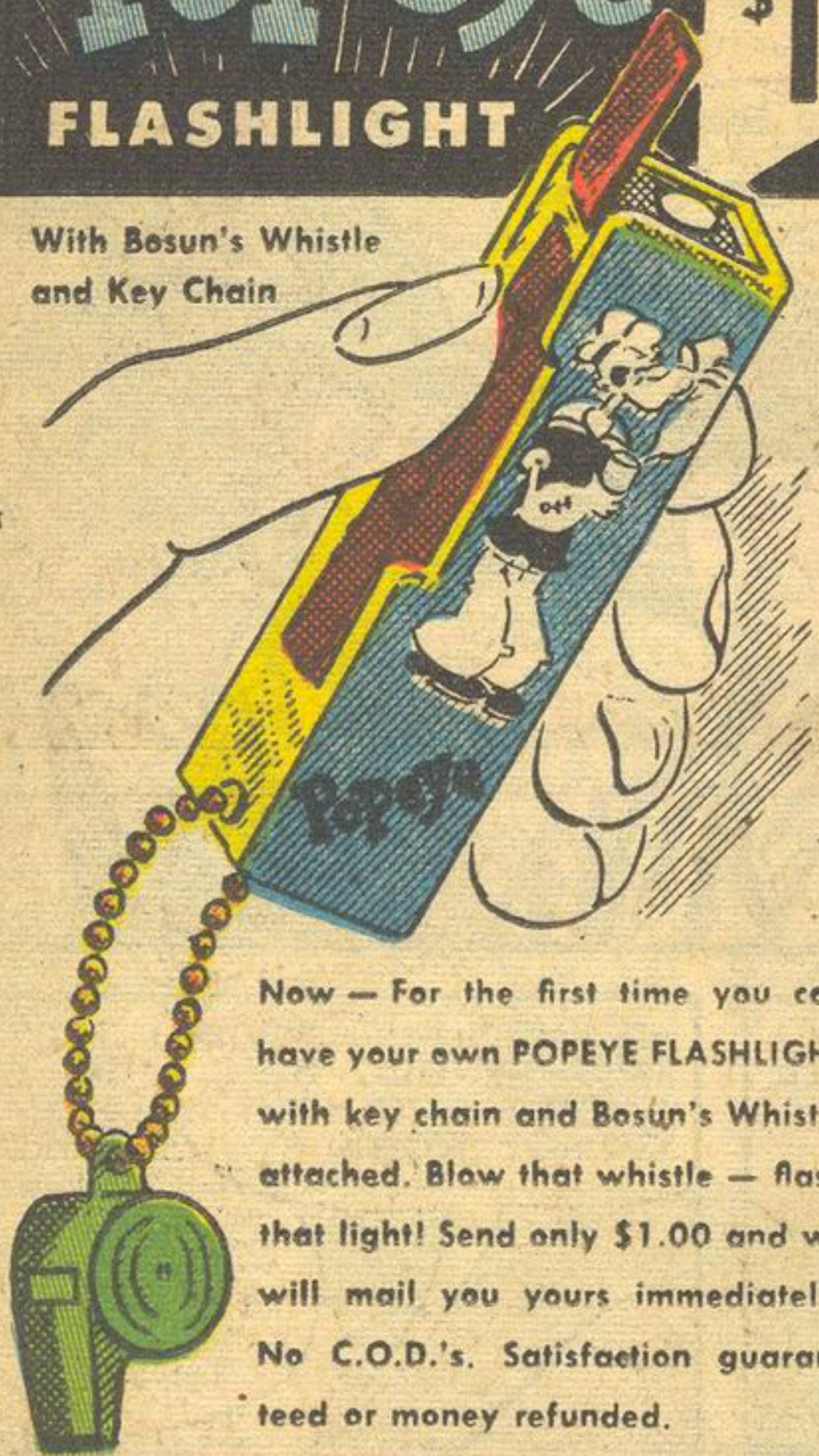
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JANKUS WAS IN CONTROL BY THE TIME ROBIN AND HIS FOLLOWERS REACHED THE VILLAGE...

WHAT DO YOU WANT IN MY VILLAGE, SAXON?

I WANT GOOD SAXON FISH FROM MY SAXON FRIENDS, DANE! THIS IS NOT YOUR VILLAGE!



I SAY IT IS!

REMOVE YOUR BLOATED CARCASS FROM MY PATH, DANE!

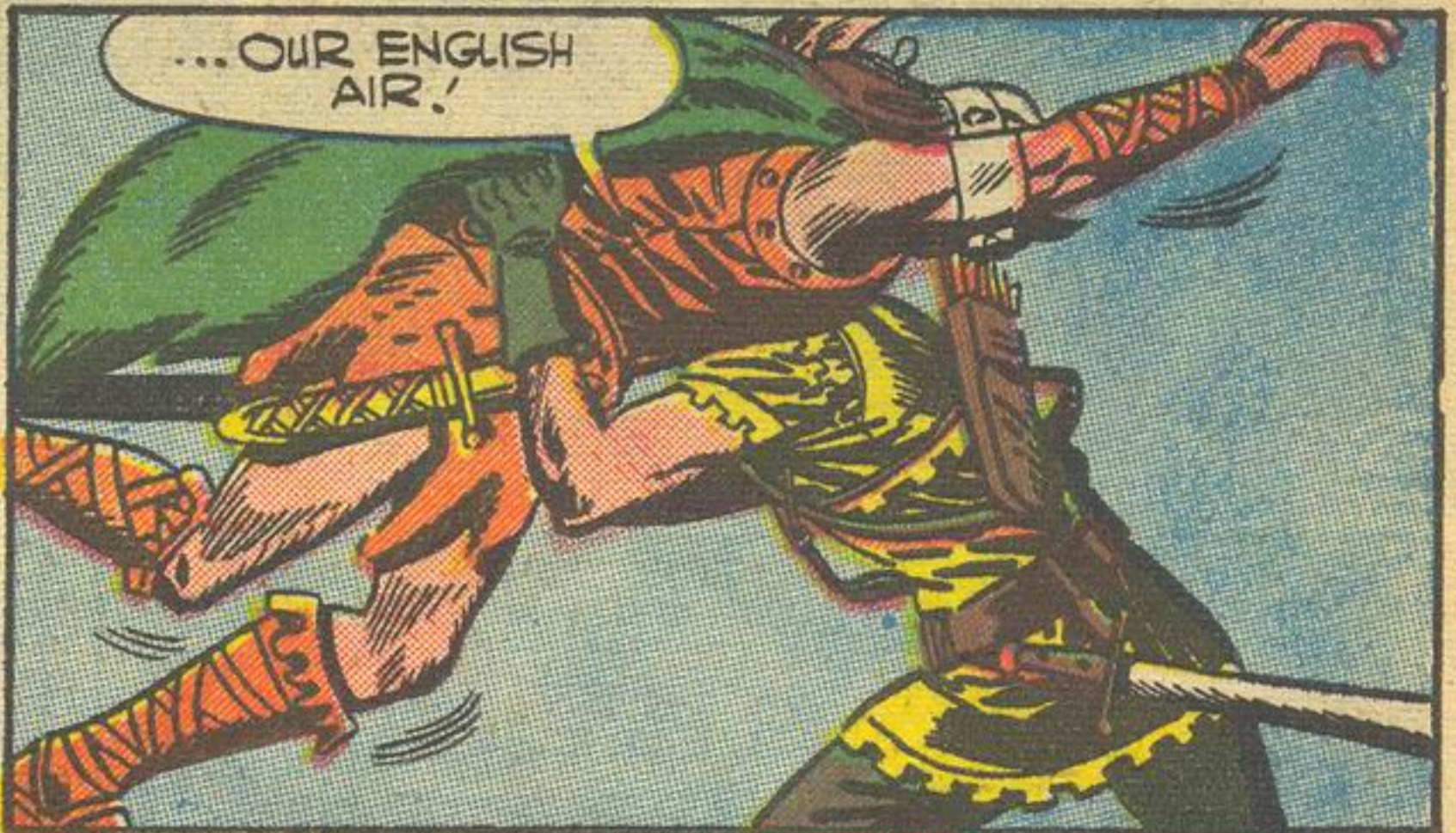


ROBIN'S COOL CONTEMPT INFURIATED THE VIKING! HE SWEEPED HIS MIGHTY ARM AROUND AND...

COME, THOU CLUMSY ONE! TRY A RIDE THROUGH...



...OUR ENGLISH AIR!

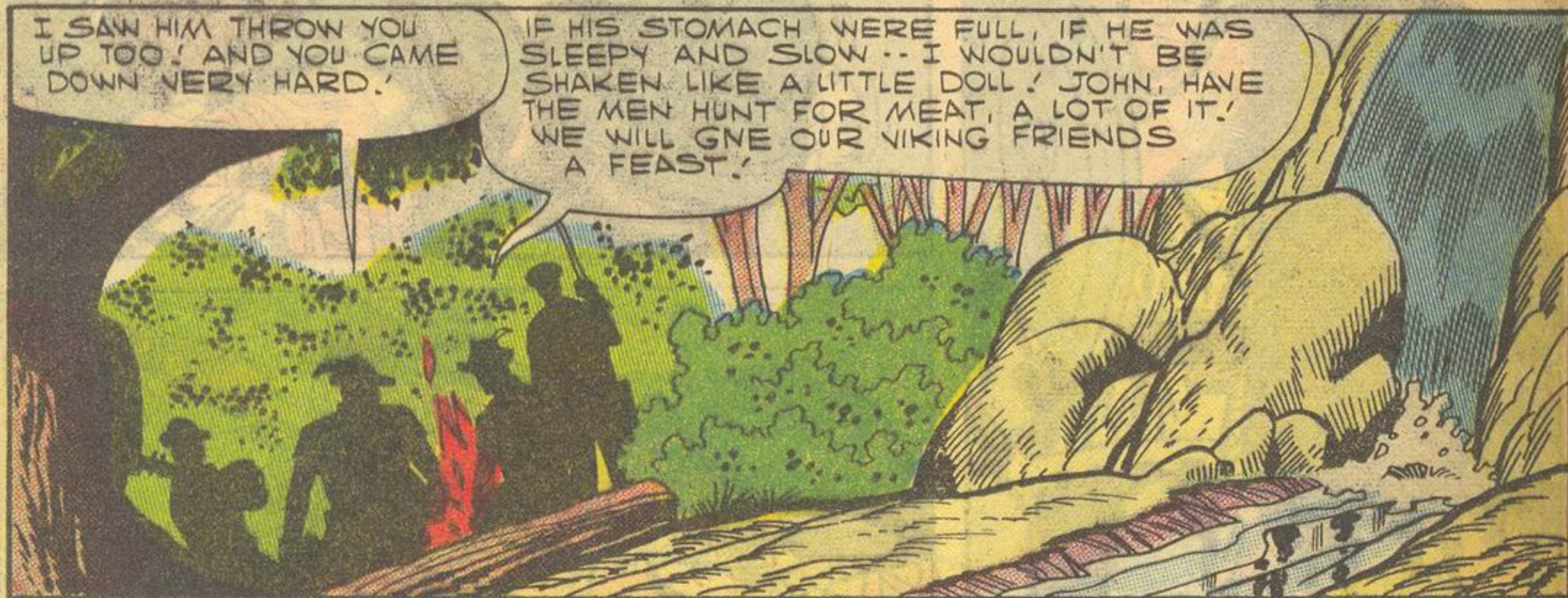
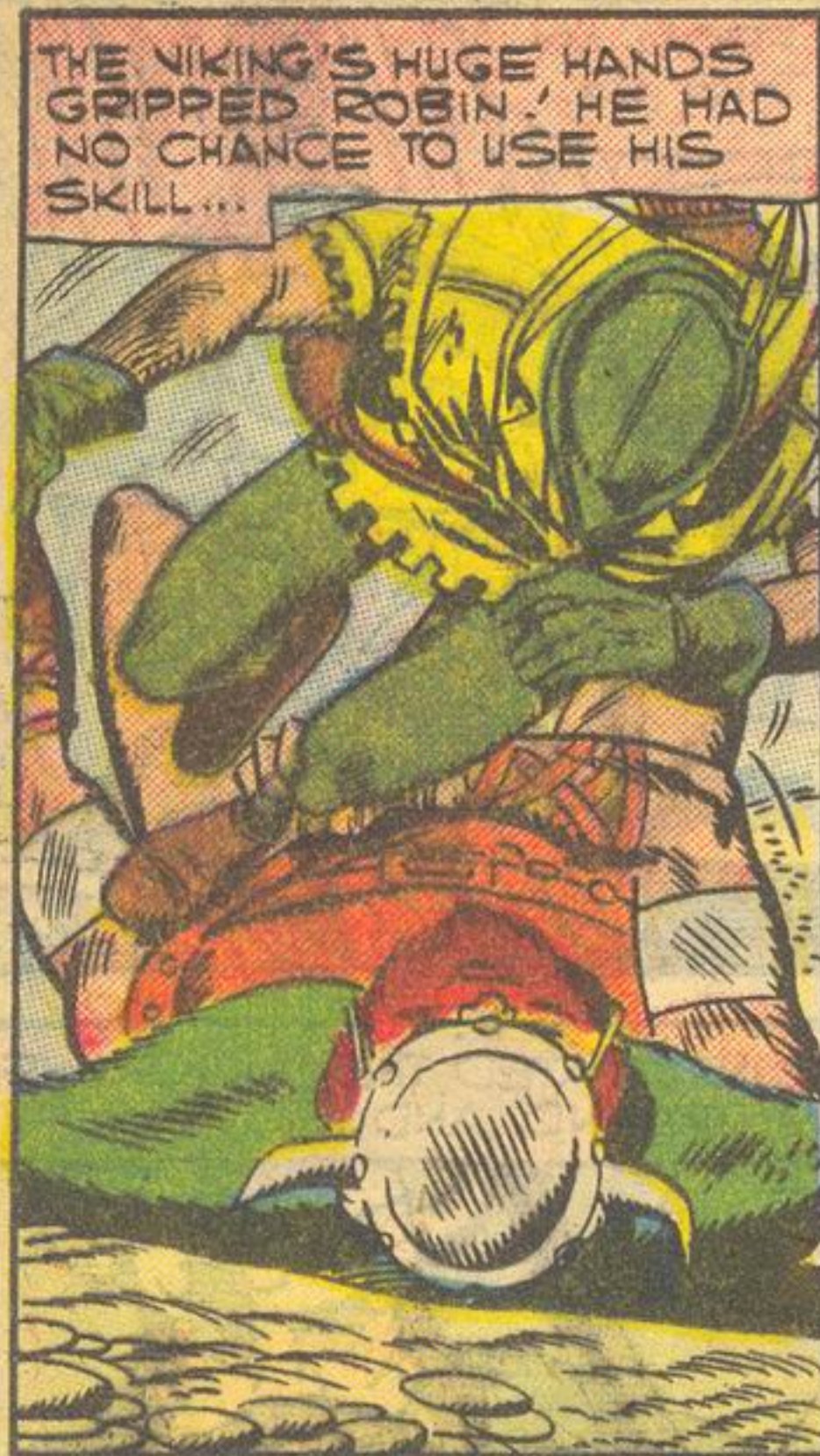


THAT'S THAT, VIKING! RELEASE MY LEG! RELEASE IT OR...

HO, HO! NOW IT IS MY TURN!



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LITTLE JOHN, A GREAT EATER, COULDN'T KEEP UP...



FRIAR TUCK TRIED TO MATCH HIS BITES NEXT, AND QUIT...



UNTIL AT LAST, JANKUS WAS ACKNOWLEDGED CHAMPION!

THAT WAS GOOD! NOW, YOU WILL ALL BE QUIET! I WILL SLEEP!

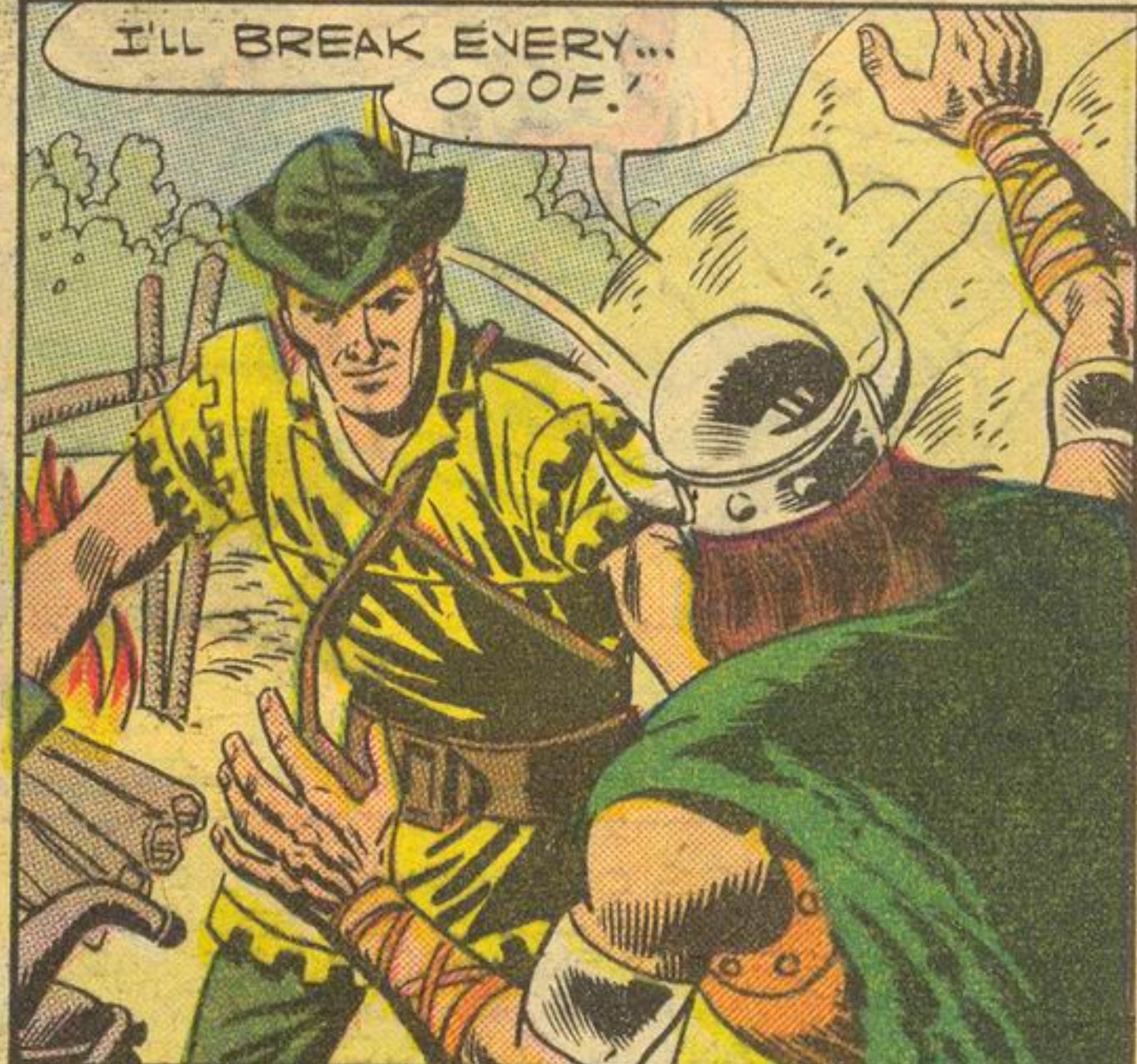


THAT WAS ROBIN HOOD'S MOMENT...

YOU WILL SLEEP NO MORE ON ENGLISH SOIL, DANE!



I'LL BREAK EVERY... OOOF!

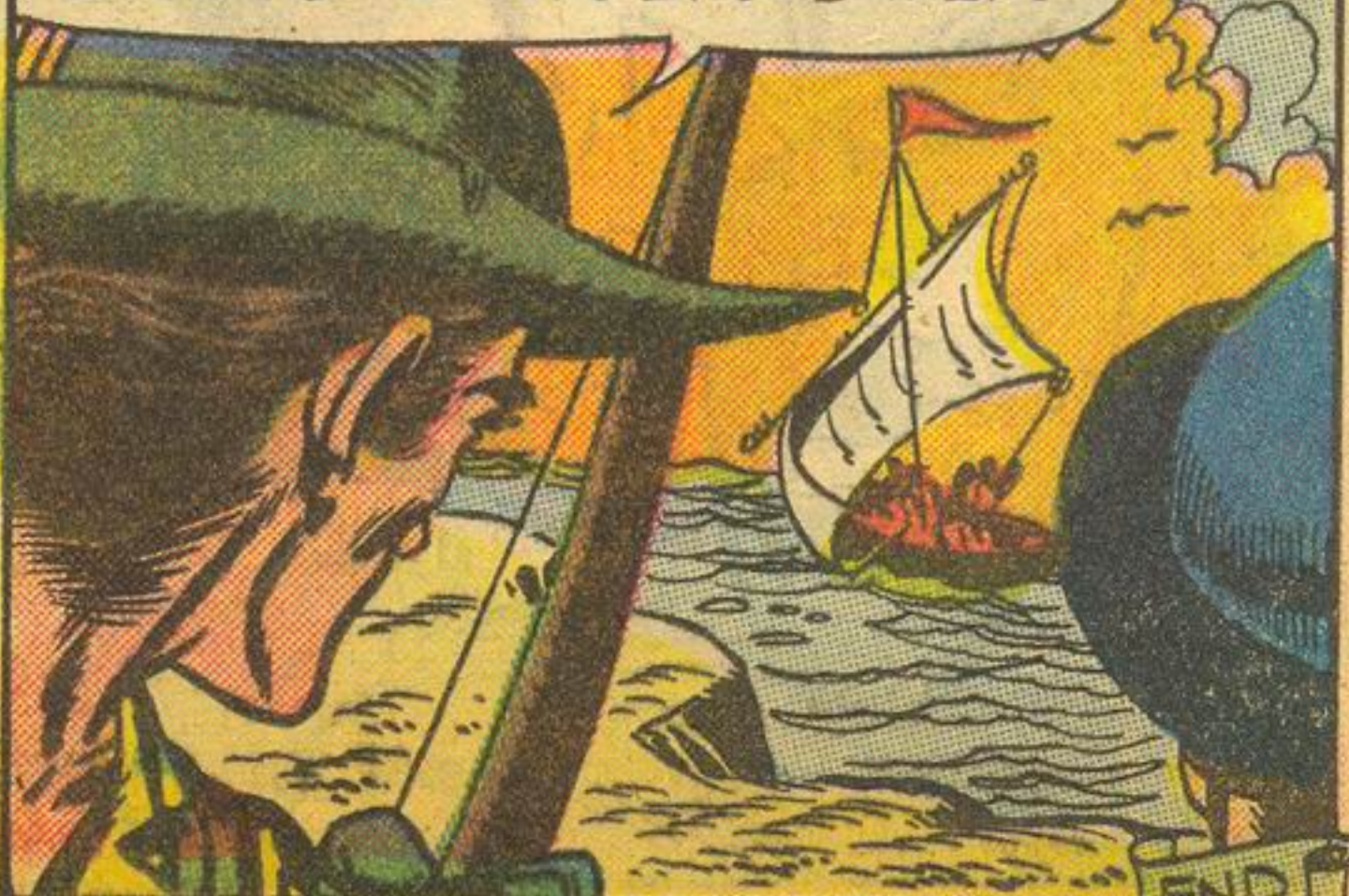


NOW, FOR THE BIG ONE!



AND THAT WAS THE LAST OF THE VIKING OUTCASTS! WITH OARS, THIS TIME, THEY WERE SET OUT TO SEA AGAIN!

AND DON'T COME BACK! TRY FRANCE NEXT! LET THE GREAT OAF SHOUT AND BEAT HIS CHEST THERE! ENGLAND IS FOR ENGLISHMEN!



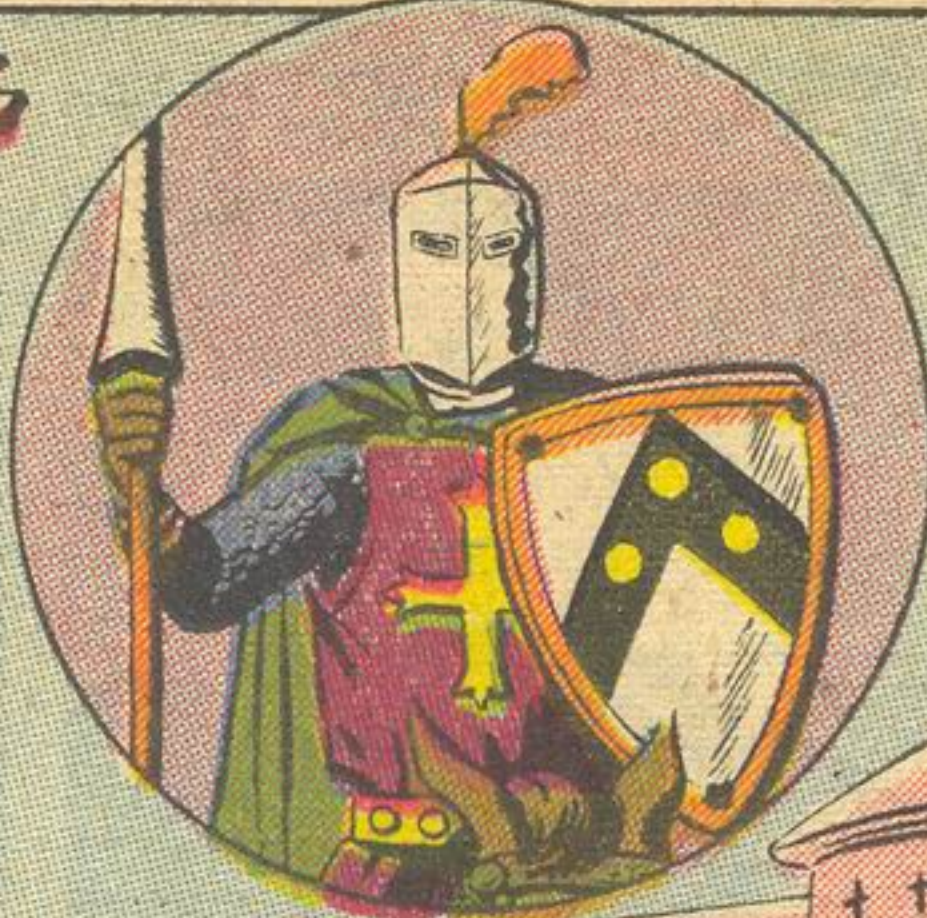
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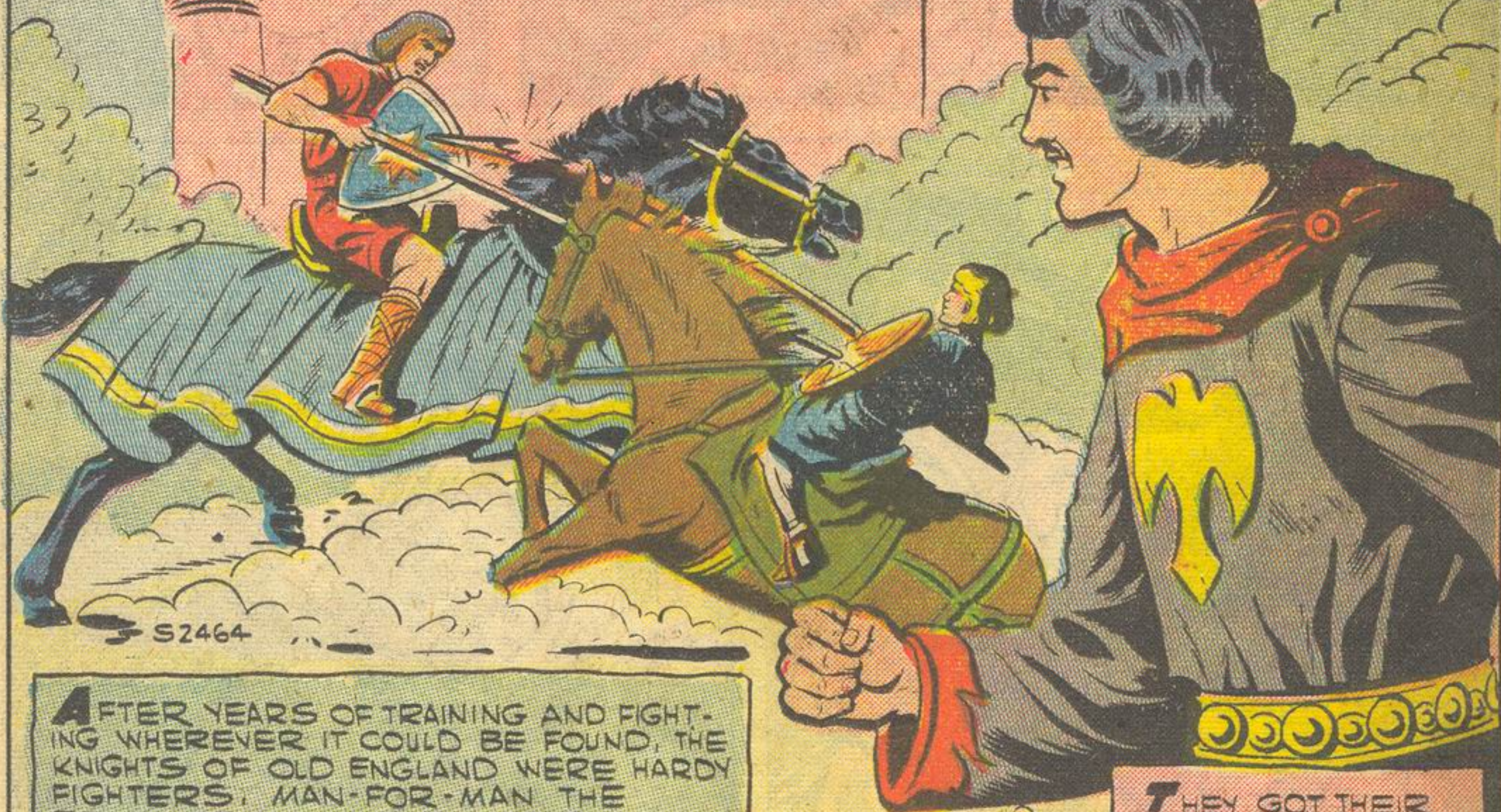
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Hood

THE KNIGHTS OF ROBIN HOOD'S DAY WERE DEDICATED MEN, EXPERT WITH LANCE, SHIELD AND SWORD! THEY BEGAN TRAINING WHEN THEY WERE SMALL BOYS...WORKING TO PERFECT THE SKILLS THEY WOULD NEED IN COMBAT!



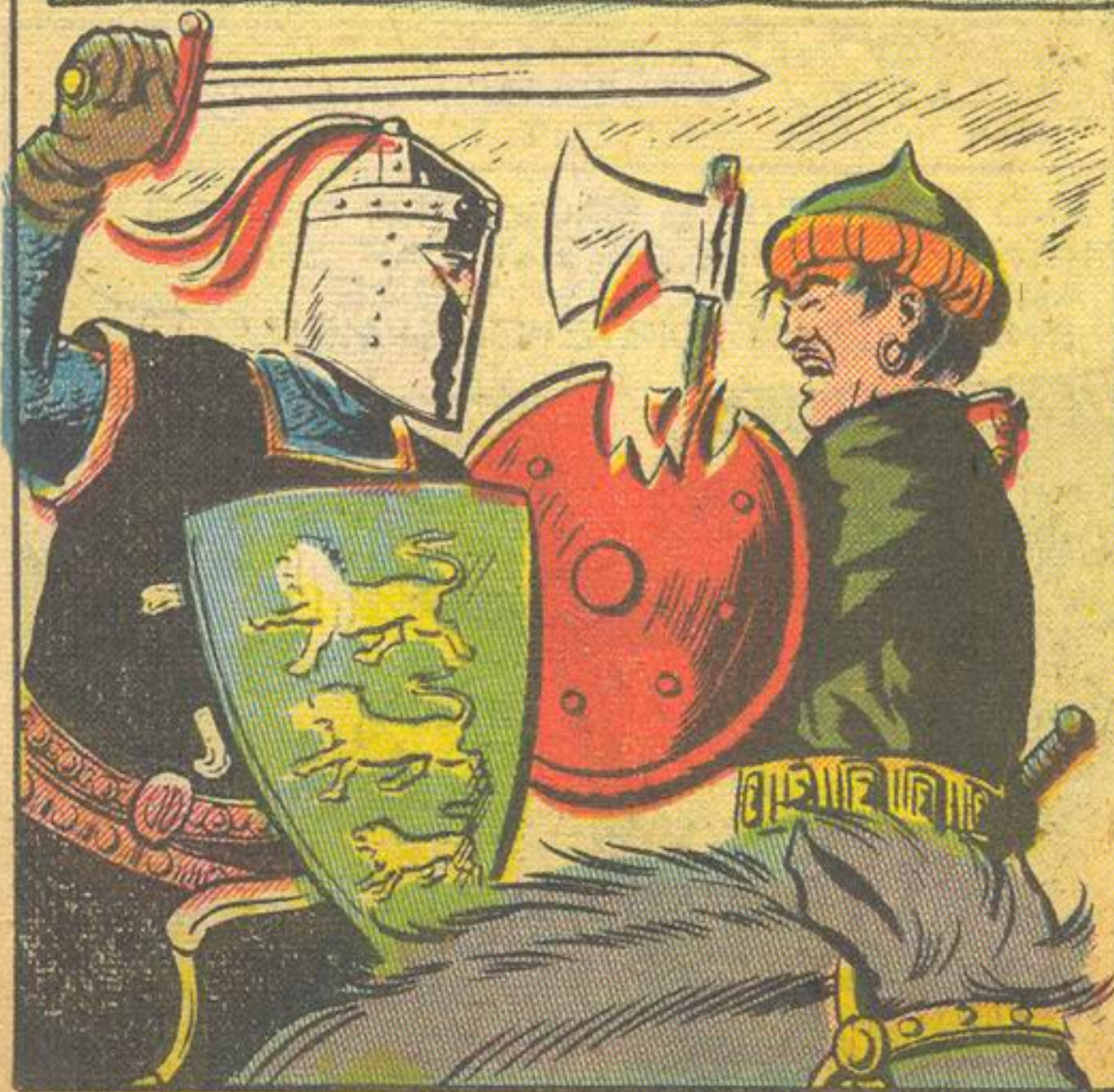
WELL DONE, CEDRIC! YOU WILL JOUST IN THE TOURNA-MENTS YET!



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AFTER YEARS OF TRAINING AND FIGHTING WHEREVER IT COULD BE FOUND, THE KNIGHTS OF OLD ENGLAND WERE HARDY FIGHTERS, MAN-FOR-MAN THE EQUAL OF ANY IN THE WORLD!

THEY GOT THEIR REWARD WHEN THEY RETURNED TO ENGLAND! KNIGHTHOOD AND PUBLIC LANDS WERE GIVEN THEM FOR THEIR FAITHFUL SERVICES!



ROBIN HOOD & HIS MERRY MEN

STOLEN HERITAGE

THE LONDON OF THE ELEVENTH CENTURY SEETHED WITH INTRIGUE AND TREASON! WHILE NOBLE MEN FOUGHT THE SARACENS IN THE CRUSADES, LESSER MEN ROBBED THEM OF THEIR ESTATES! HUGH O'BANION'S FATHER WAS ONE WHO LOST... AND HIS SON WAS REDUCED TO BEGGING OUTSIDE THE GATES OF THE STATELY HOUSE THAT HAD ONCE BEEN HIS...



AFTER HEARING OF HIS FATHER'S DEATH IN THE EAST, HUGH O'BANION HAD RETURNED FROM FRANCE WHERE HE WAS ATTENDING SCHOOL! HE FOUND HE HAD NO HOME TO RETURN TO...



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THEY WON'T SAVE YOU, LEFFLEY!



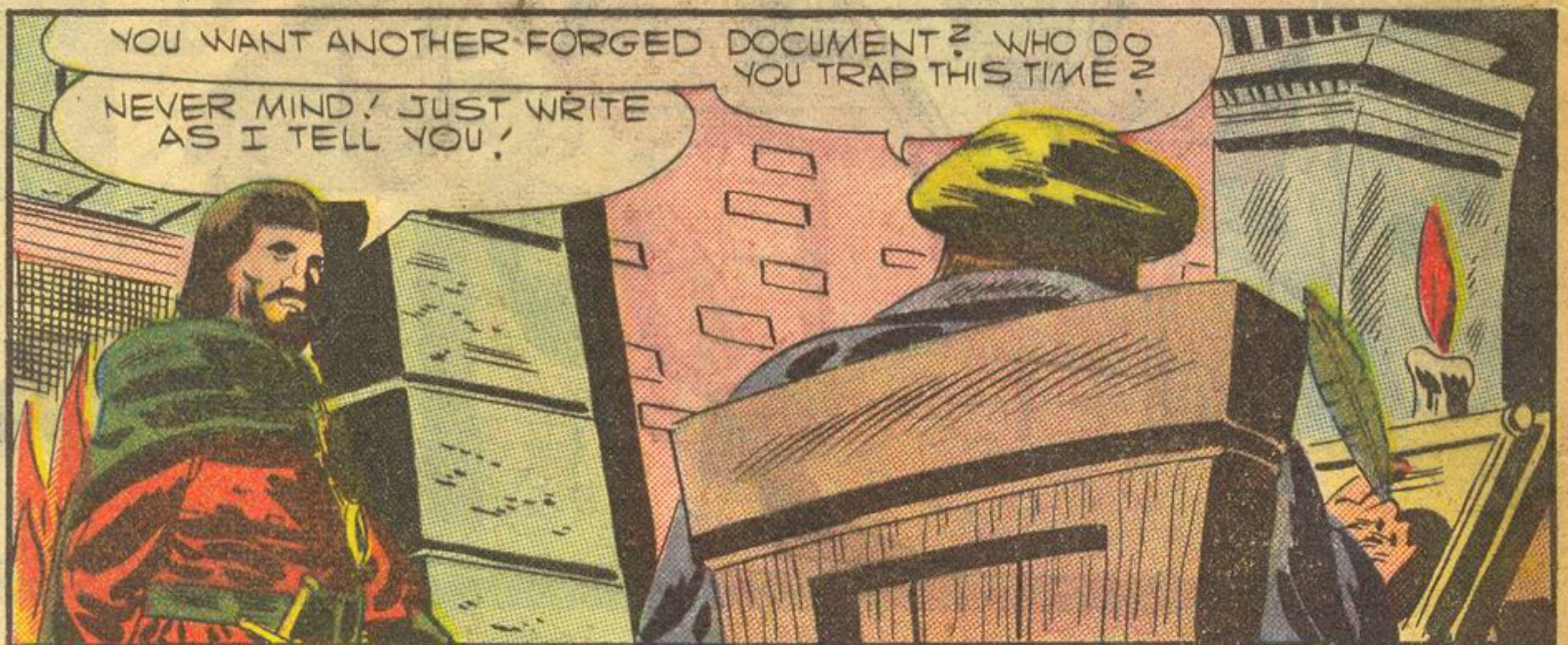
STRIP HIM OF HIS SWORD AND FINE CLOTHES! GIVE HIM RAGS SUITABLE TO THE BEGGAR HE IS!



BARON, YOU'RE CRUEL! I WOULD NEVER MARRY A MAN CAPABLE OF THAT!

YOU'LL CHANGE, MY DEAR! REMEMBER, YOUR BROTHERS SHARED O'BANION'S PART IN THE TREASON! DO YOU WANT THEM TO SUFFER TOO?

BARON LEFFLEY HAD PROSPERED WHILE THE OTHERS FOUGHT! HIS SCHEMES TRAPPED MANY...



NEVER MIND! JUST WRITE AS I TELL YOU!

YOU WANT ANOTHER FORGED DOCUMENT? WHO DO YOU TRAP THIS TIME?

O'BANION'S VILLAGERS RESENTED THE IRON GRASPING HAND OF LEFFLEY! THEY WERE DANGEROUS AND LEFFLEY FEARED THEM...



THE PEOPLE HATE YOU, LEFFLEY! YOU ARE NOT SAFE, EVEN IN YOUR CASTLE!

YOU'RE RIGHT! TELL COXLEY TO MAKE THE TOWN HOUSE READY!

ROBIN HOOD & HIS MERRY MEN

MEANWHILE, HUGH O'BANION FOUND THAT HE STILL HAD FRIENDS...

EAT WELL, HUGH! IT IS YOUR OWN FOOD, THOUGH LEFFLEY CALLS IT HIS! STAY WITH US!

NO! LEFFLEY NAMED ME BEGGAR-- BEGGAR I'LL BE!

BUT A BEGGAR SUCH AS HE NEVER DREAMED OF! HE GOES TO LONDON-- THERE I WILL GO AND BEG FOR JUSTICE! BUT I WILL BEG FROM THOSE WHO WILL HEAR ME!

LONDON WAS DANGEROUS FOR THE WEAK AND POOR, BUT HUGH O'BANION KNEW WHERE TO GO...

HERE'S A COIN FOR... HOLY GRAIL! O'BANION, WHAT DO YOU HERE IN THESE RAGS?

SHHH, EDGAR! GET DOWN!

I PITY LEFFLEY! YOUR FRIENDS WILL RALLY TO YOU!

AYE, BUT FIRST I WILL CHALLENGE LEFFLEY ALONE! BID THE OTHERS BE READY! SEND WORD TO THE KING'S MINISTER!

YOU SPOKE TO THAT BEGGAR! A CLOSE FRIEND, NO DOUBT!

A DEAR ONE, ASHFORD! AND A WEALTHY ONE, TO BOOT! AT LEAST, HE WILL BE!

HUGH STATIONED HIMSELF NEAR THE IRON GATE OF HIS OLD HOME! HE HADN'T LONG TO WAIT TO MEET LEFFLEY...

I CAN'T STAND LONDON WITH... GET AWAY, FELLOW!

BE WISE, LEFFLEY! A WORD WITH ME WILL SAVE YOU TROUBLE!

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I'LL HAVE YOU THROWN INTO THE TOWER! BEGONE!

NAY -- I'LL STAY! YOU'RE THE ONE WHO WILL GO TO THE TOWER OF LONDON!

ONE MEMBER OF LEFFLEY'S HOUSEHOLD HAD A KIND HEART...

YOU'RE HUGH O'BANION, AREN'T YOU? DO YOU NEED MONEY?

NAY, A KIND WORD AND A SMILE IS BETTER THAN GOLD --- ESPECIALLY YOURS!



I AM HUNGRY! COULD YOU SMUGGLE ME IN-TO THE KITCHEN?

WHY NOT? IT'S RIGHTFULLY YOURS! WE MUST BE CAREFUL!



A MOMENT LATER...

WHAT DO YOU WANT IN... HUGH! IT'S HUGHIE!

SHH, BRIDGET! IF LEFFLEY HEARS MY NAME, HE'LL HANG US ALL!



LEFFLEY FORGED EVIDENCE AGAINST MY FATHER AND ME! HE WILL DO THE SAME TO YOUR BROTHERS! HE MUST BE STOPPED! YOU CAN HELP!

NO, I CAN'T! PLEASE, HUGH, DON'T ASK ME!



NOTHING WILL SAVE YOU NOW, O'BANION! YOU'LL ROT IN MY DUNGEONS!

THEY WERE ONCE MINE -- AND I WILL NOT ROT THERE!

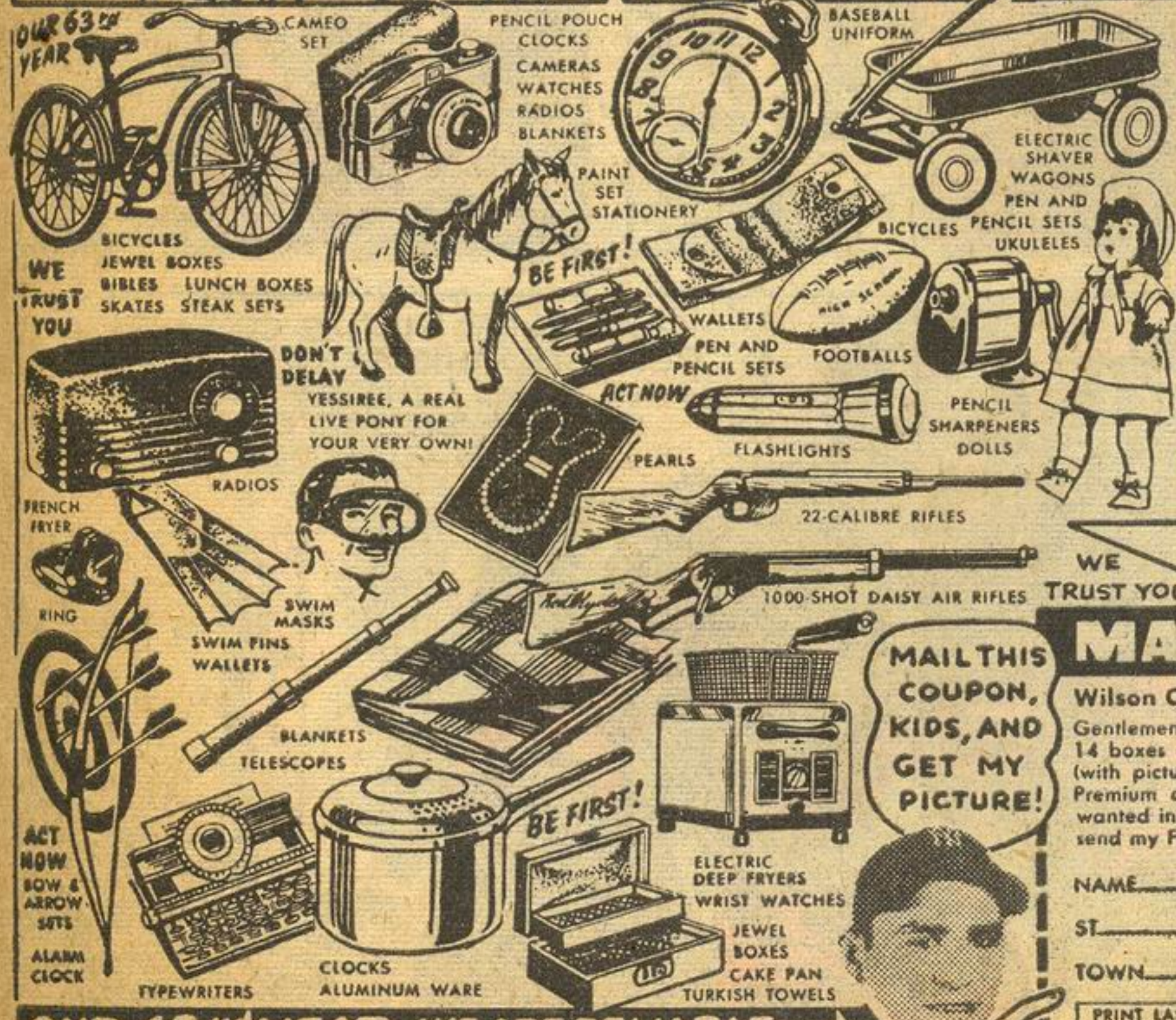
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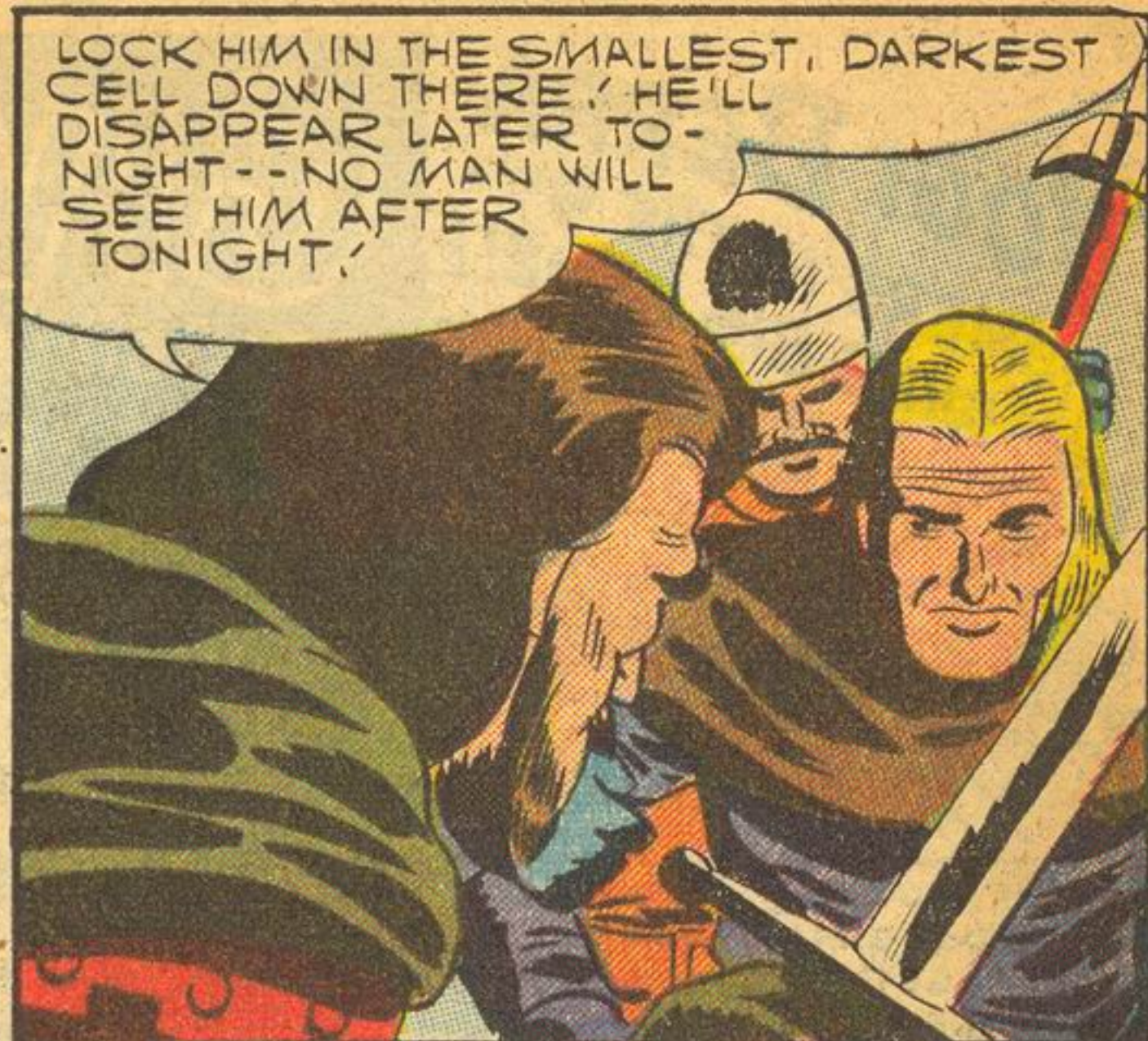
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YOUR FATHER BUILT WELL, O'BANION! YOU'LL NEVER CLAW YOUR WAY FROM THERE!

I'LL NOT NEED TO, LEFFLEY! YOUR DAYS ARE NUMBERED!



LATER...

I'M SORRY, HUGH! I'LL TRY TO HELP YOU! LEFFLEY HIMSELF HAS THE KEY! IT'S TERRIBLY LONESOME DOWN HERE, ISN'T IT?

NOT AT ALL! IN FACT, IT'S QUITE CROWDED!



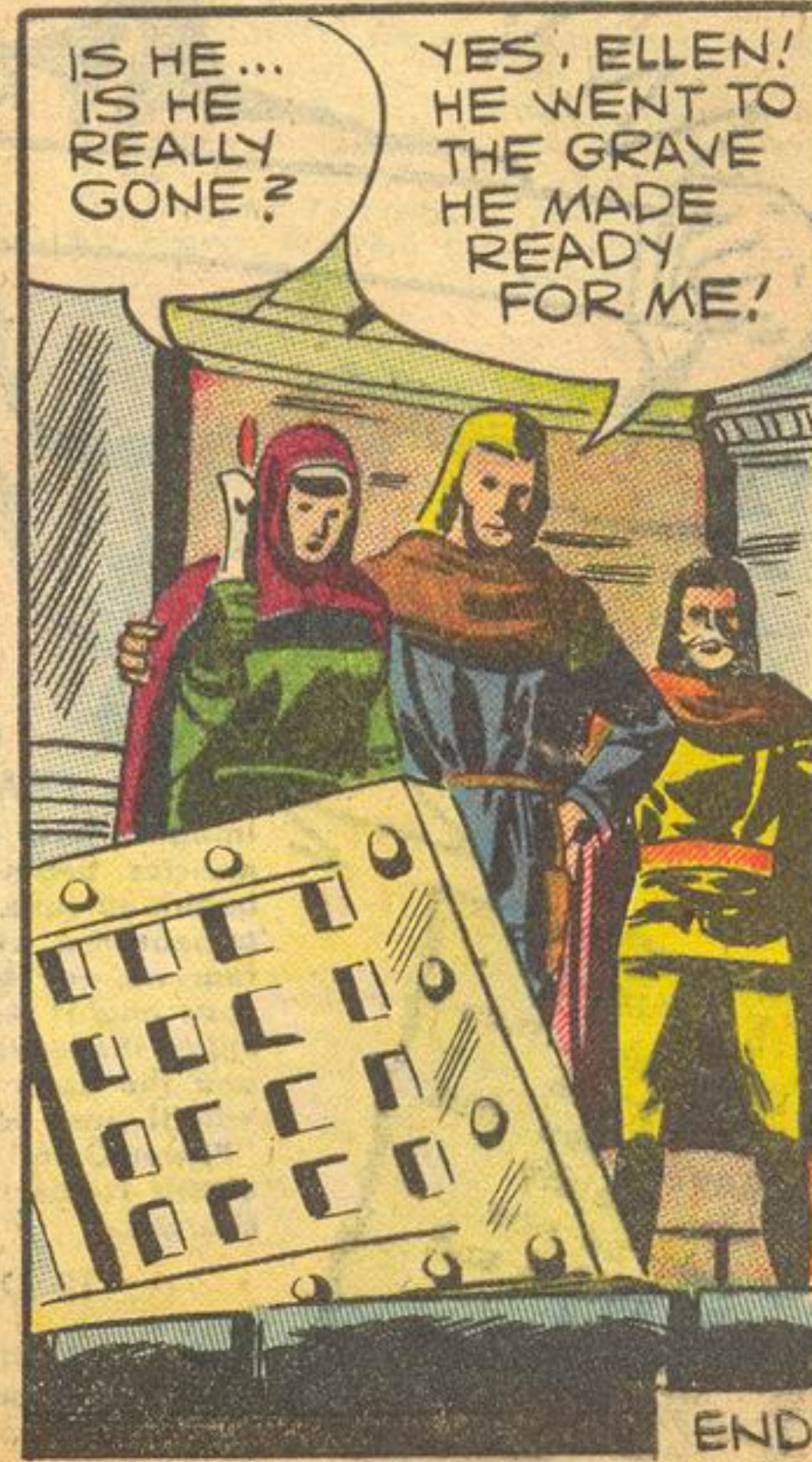
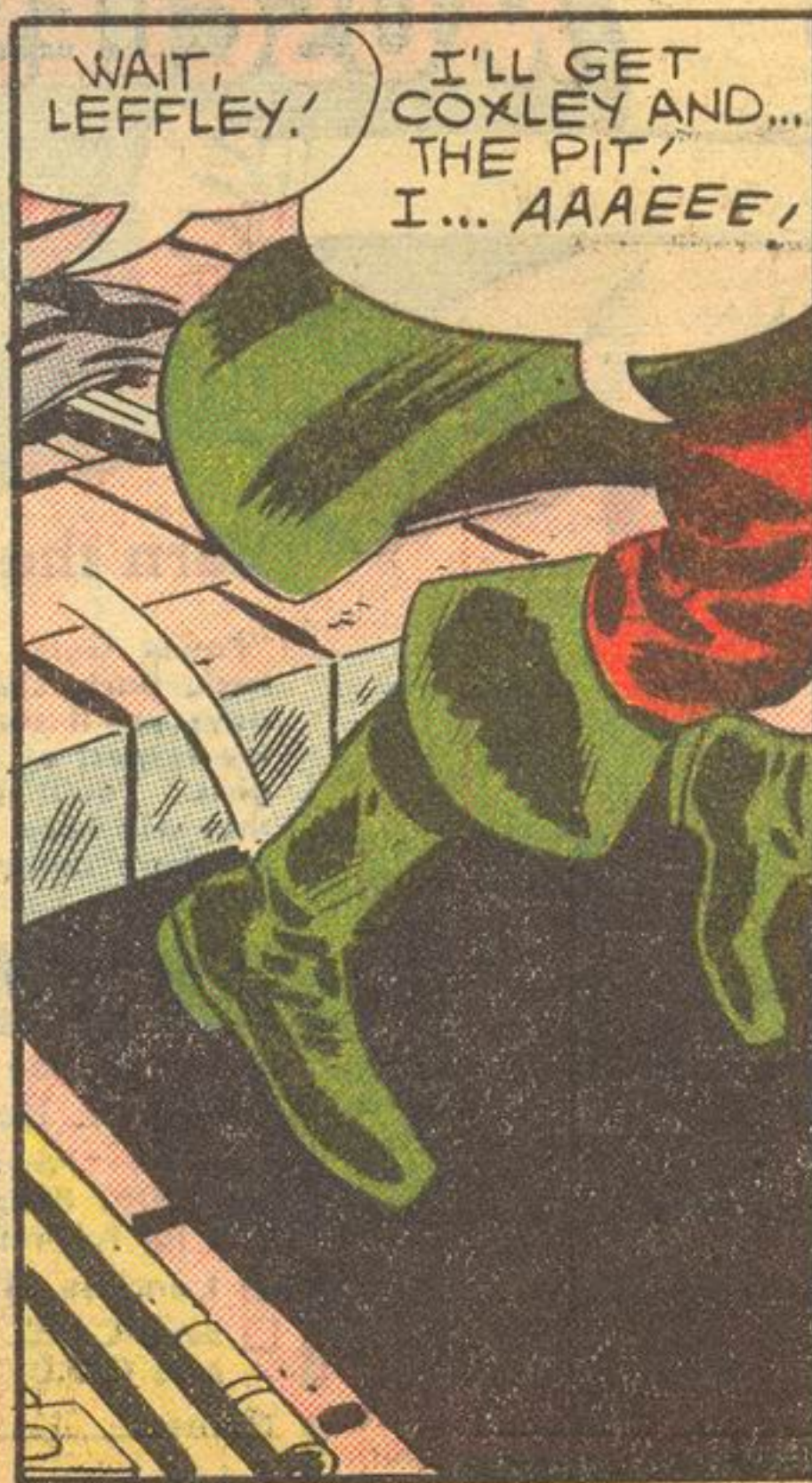
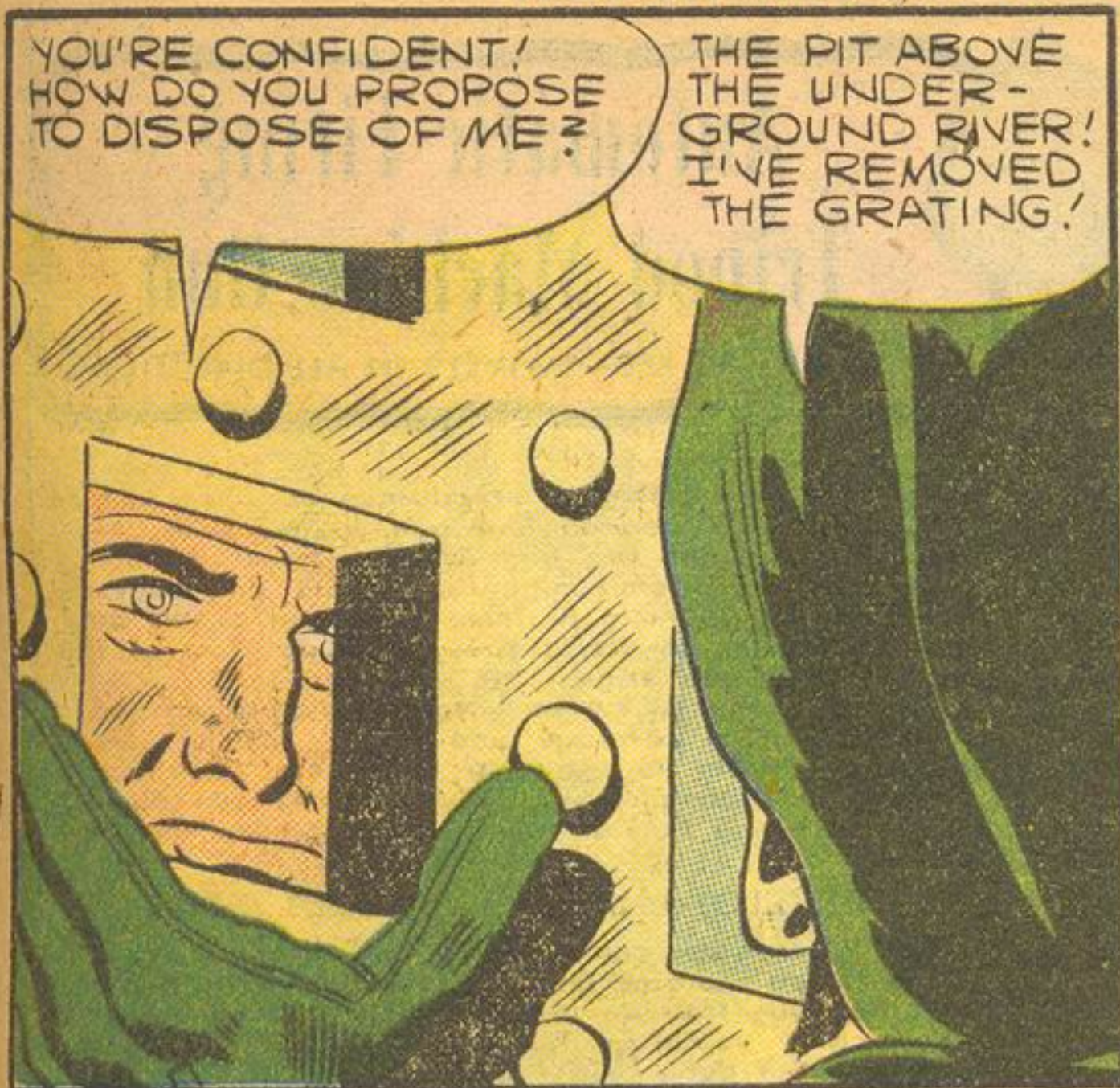
LEFFLEY COULDN'T BE IN MORE DANGER IF HE WERE AMONG THE SARACENS! ALL OF HUGH'S FRIENDS HAVE RALLIED TO HIS CAUSE! SHHH, SOMEONE COMES!



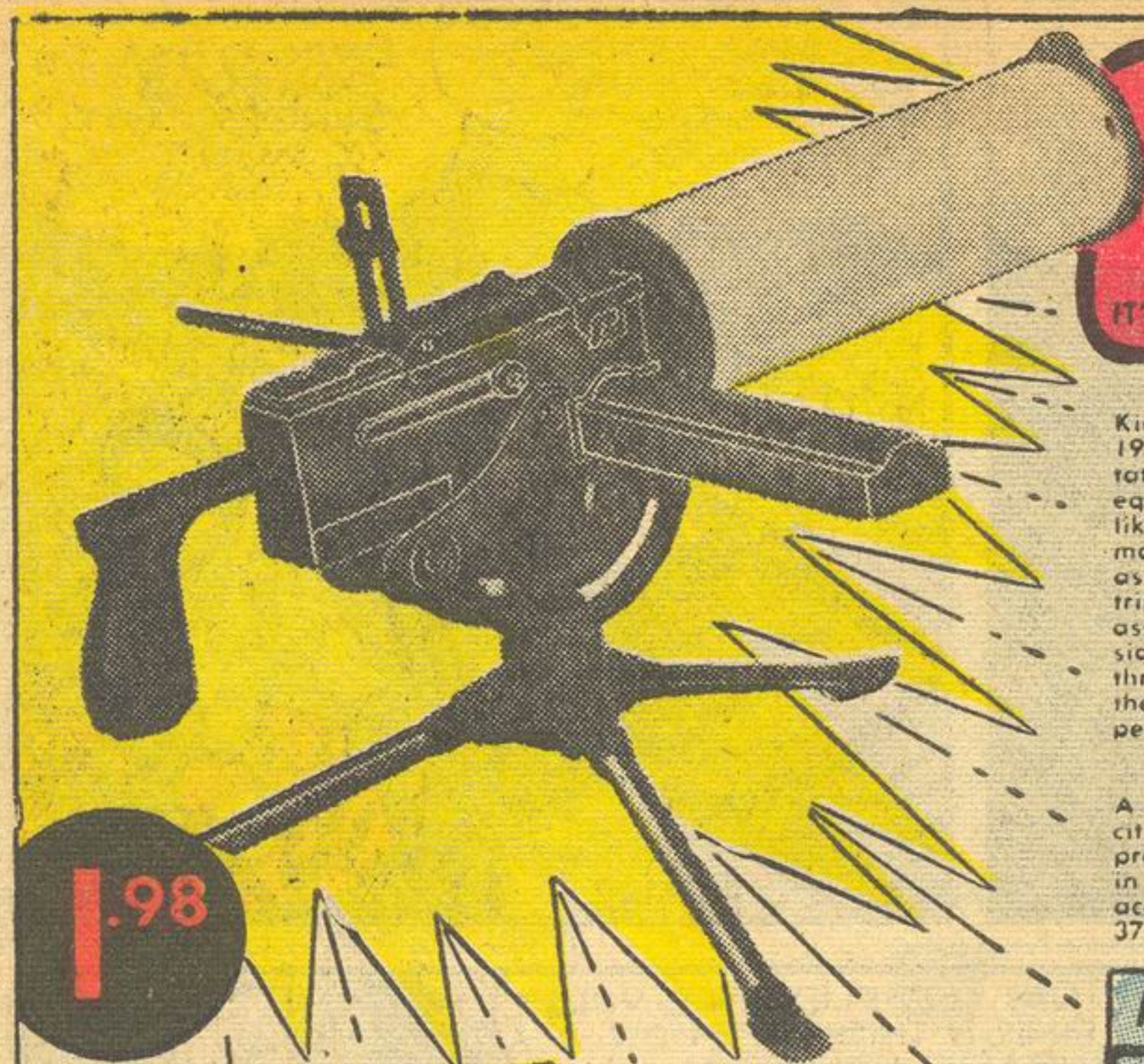
THE OTHER PILING COWARDS REFUSED THIS TASK, O'BANION! I AM GLAD! THERE WILL BE NO WITNESSES TO SILENCE WITH GOLD OR STEEL!



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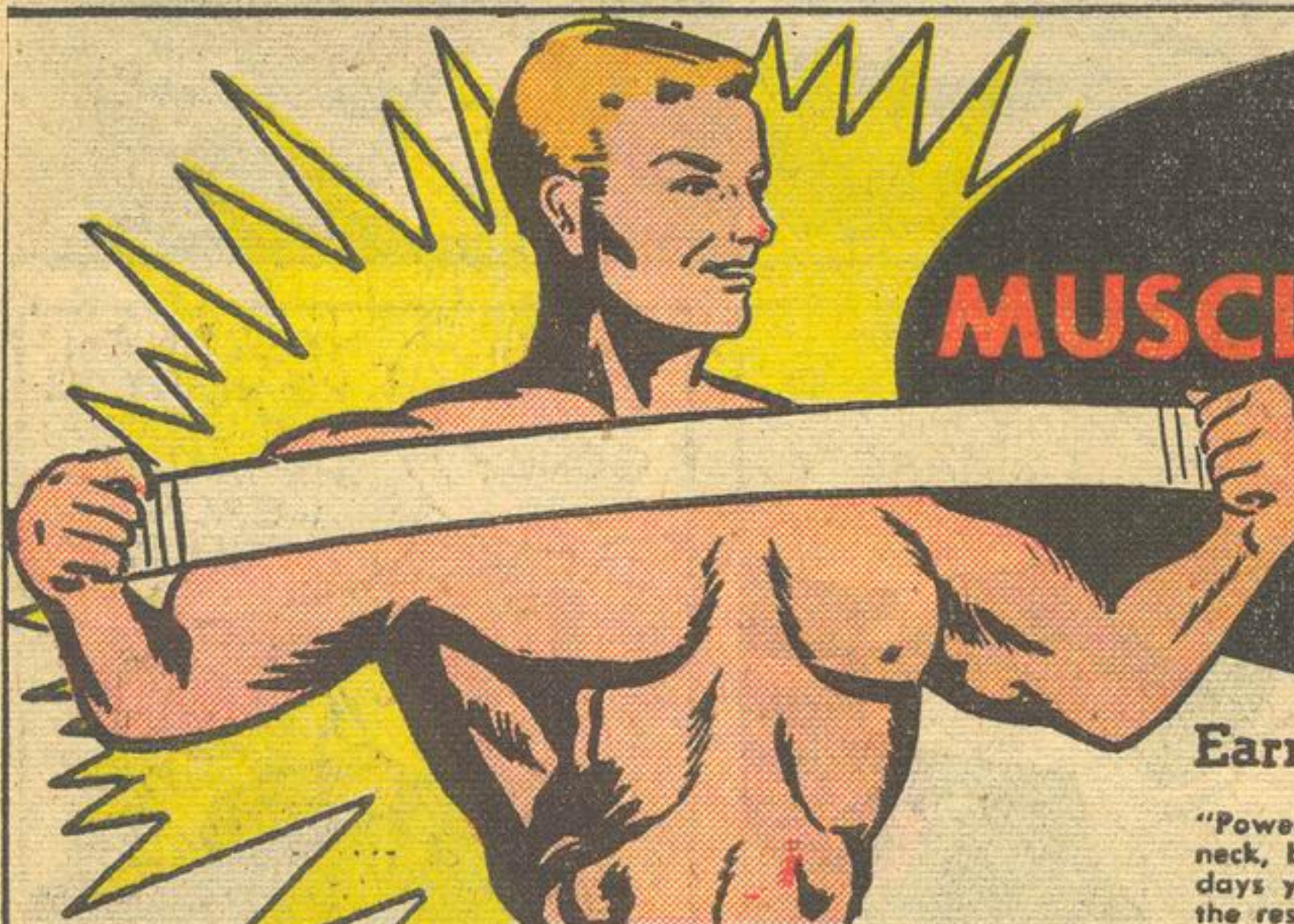
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